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Norfolk Is Visited By A Tidal Wave, Ships In Danger

(By United Press.)

Washington, Jan. 3---An official dispatch received by the navy department this afternoon says it is reported that the city of Norfolk, Va., has been partially swept by a tidal wave. The navy wireless station is out of order and communication has not yet been had with the navy vessels at Hampton R's and all telegraph wires to that section are down, so that confirmation of the report was impossible.

At three o'clock this afternoon a message was received via Newport News which conveyed the information that while the city of Norfolk had been swept by a terrific storm which stopped traffic and cut off communication and did considerable damage the city was not damaged by the sea.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Jan. 3—The South Atlantic coast today was in the grip of a terrific wind and rain storm which worked havoc with shipping and cut off the cities of Norfolk and Newport News. All land wires leading out of the cities were destroyed.

Before the last wire went down the telegraph operator in Newport News said that the gale was so terrific that the waters of the James river were surging up into the lower parts of the city with the violence of a small tidal wave. The navy wireless sparked out unanswered calls to the ships of the Atlantic fleet gathering in Hampton Roads.

Great anxiety was felt for the safety of torpedo boats in the narrow seaway. Incomplete reports were that many small craft had been sunk.

(By United Press.)

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 3—With the barometer at 28, the lowest ever recorded in this city, and a 90 mile gale blowing, shipping took refuge in Chesapeake Bay harbor today, and the city waited for the worst storm of the winter which is due tonight.

The roof of the Baltimore county jail was blown away this afternoon. Weather officials report this city the center of the disturbance and heavy loss to the shipping is feared during the night.

At Norfolk, Va., a number of small shipping crafts were sunk by the storm, but whether or not there was loss of life is not known.

Many crafts are known to have been sunk and others driven ashore in a gale that has swept along the coast generally demoralizing transportation. Many houses on the flat land were put under water. So far as is known no lives were lost. The gale this afternoon was blowing at the rate of 70 miles an hour.

(By Associated Press.)

Philadelphia, Jan. 3—The high wind this afternoon wrecked a three story building used for manufacturing and several girl employes are reported to be in the ruins. A dozen men dragged from the wreckage were taken to a hospital.

AUSTRIAN EMPEROR IS DYING

(By United Press.)

Rome, Italy, Jan. 3.—Pope Pius today sent his apostolic benediction to Vienna, in anticipation of the death of Emperor Franz Josef. The message was sent to the papal Nuncio at the Austro-Hungarian court with instructions from the Vatican to withhold it until it became certain that the aged ruler of the dual monarchy is dying. The Pope was today informed that the emperor's condition was most grave.

Maniacs At Large

(By Associated Press.)

Elvis, Portugal, Jan. 3.—One man was killed and nine seriously injured by five terrorized maniacs who were released by firemen from an insane asylum on the outskirts of this city today.

CANAL PLAN GIVEN UP

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, Jan. 3—President Taft today definitely told Senator Brandegee, of Connecticut, chairman of the Inter-ocean Canal Committee that he would not send to the senate the name of Col. Goethals as civil governor of the Panama Canal zone because of the opposition of Democratic senators.

RAILROAD MAN DIED FRIDAY

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Jan. 3—Roswell Miller, chairman of the board of directors of the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Louis Railway Company, died suddenly here today.

DENIAL MADE OF CHARGES BY SHERIFF

(By Associated Press.)

Jefferson, O., Jan. 3.—In connection with the case of Joe Kresto, convicted of manslaughter for killing Mike Montan at Rock Creek last July, in which a new trial had been granted on the ground of misconduct, Monday, in that the court constable refused to call a doctor for Juror B. W. Phillips, 82, said to have been taken ill, unless a verdict was ready to be reported, and that in order to gain medical attention for Phillips a verdict had to be reached. This is not true. Sheriff L. B. Sheldon said today that no one connected with the court was asked to call medical attention, nor was the jury told they would have to render a verdict before medical attention would be given to Phillips.

Fred Weinkaupt, an N. & W. employe, visited friends in Cincinnati, New Year's day.

SENSATION COMING IN ASHLAND PROBE

(By United Press.)

Ashland, O., Jan 3.—Detectives from the W. J. Burns Detective agency, who have been working on charges that a present grand jury was packed to prevent it from returning an indictment against Officer Ted Spreng for the alleged killing of Cloyd Ebert, at a "keg party," announced today that they had secured enough evidence to place behind the bars several prominent citizens of this city.

When Attorney-General Hogan opens his probe here next Monday he will be handed affidavits from four persons who allege that a member of the grand jury declared before he began his deliberation on the Ebert case that his mind was made up.

George Frey, the deposed prosecutor, declared today that he had gathered enough evidence to prove that certain lawyers here had taken opposite sides in civil cases and had bartered the rights of their clients for their own pecuniary interests.

Judge Devor today ordered another grand jury summoned for January 20, which will probe the killing of Ebert. Prosecutor Moore, who takes office Monday, says he will probe the case. Policeman Spreng is under $2,000 bond on a charge of second degree murder.

Officer Killed Canine.

Officer Henry Clark dispatched a small water spaniel dog of which complaint was received at headquarters Thursday afternoon. Officer Rome Arthur had chased the same canine from the vicinity of Ninth and Findlay streets.

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GROGGY.

WHITELAW REID COMES HOME

(By United Press.)

New York, Jan. 3.—A driving rain storm with high northerly wind and a fog that enshrouded the coast and made navigation of small crafts, let alone armored cruisers and dreadnoughts, extremely difficult, marked the home-coming of the body of Whitelaw Reid, late ambassador to St. James Palace.

The big armored cruiser Natal, set aside by King George to bring the body home, led the procession down the coast and in past the Ambrose channel lightship and on slowly to the naval anchorage in the North river. Flying at half mast from her peak was the red barred Union Jack of England, and at her main turret was a big American flag. Astern in tenagonal formation came the American battleships Florida and North Dakota and the destroyers Row, Grayton, McCall and Paulding. Down past the Fire Island lighthouse the squadron steamed at quarter speed, and when off the Ambrose channel lighthouse, was finally compelled to come to a complete stop. Here a port pilot was taken on board by the British cruiser, which proceeded to her anchorage.

As the casket was swung over over the side of the vessel, the Natal and Florida broke out alternately with 19 guns, the ambassador's salute.

The casket was taken to the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, where funeral services will be held tomorrow. President Taft, Secretary Knox and other cabinet officials and diplomats will attend.

JAMES R. KEENE CROSSES OVER

(By United Press.)

New York, Jan. 3.—James R. Keene, 72, a king in financial and sporting circles, who died at a private hospital at 2:15 a. m. today, began his career as a hostler and although stripped in Wall Street of every cent, amassed several different fortunes of millions.

Keene, a native of England, always began his operations on the bear side in the stock markets and piled up fortunes.

A year after he married, in 1869, the market went against him and he was left owing $300,000. He recuperated on the San Francisco mining exchange and later declared war on Jay Gould on Wall Street. Gould could not withstand his raid on mining stocks and Keene cleared $3,000,000 for himself and also fortunes for his friends. Gould later got it away from him.

In 1890 Keene had another fortune of $12,000,000. He hooked up with Russell Sage and the latter got it. Keene came back and in three years made another $3,000,000.

In 1903 he fought Harriman and lost, but he soon recovered the most of it. He is said to have been the only man whom J. P. Morgan feared. He possessed a pronounced desire for horse racing and owned some of the greatest thoroughbreds in the country.

CONGRESSMAN LEAPS INTO SEA FROM SHIP

(By United Press.)

Washington, Jan. 3—Representative William Wedemeyer, 39, of the Second Michigan district, jumped overboard from the Panama liner, Panama, last night committing suicide while temporarily insane. The news was received via wireless at the war department today.

At the same time the news of his death was received his colleagues in the House received a message saying he was en route here in charge of an attendant. He was reported as having a suicidal mania. It was known that he sailed early yesterday from Colon and the assumption is that he jumped overboard. He landed in Panama late in December as a member of the congressional inspection party. He appeared to be demented and suffering from a hallucination and shortly after he landed was sent to a sanitarium. Brooding over his defeat at the recent election was said to be responsible for his condition and he rambled incoherently over his troubles attributing them to the Taft-Roosevelt fight.

His close friends say that a few weeks before he left for Panama he fell and struck his head on an icy sidewalk. It was not regarded as serious at the time and did not prevent him from making the trip.

Information received at the House this afternoon was that Wedemeyer jumped off the vessel in Colon harbor. His body was not recovered. The original plan was to send Wedemeyer back to the United States with President Taft's party but he was too insane at the time.

Ship Was Blown Up

(By Associated Press.)

Smyrna, Jan. 3—The Turkish sailing vessel Theodore of 650 tons was blown up today by coming in contact with a floating mine at the entrance of Smyrna harbor.

UNION LEADERS GRANTED BOND BY U. S. COURT

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, Jan., 3—A writ of supersedas staying execution of the sentence imposed upon the dynamite conspirators recently convicted at Indianapolis, was issued by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals here today. Bail was based on the number of years which the prisoners have been sentenced to serve, $10,000 for each year.

Thus Ryan's bail was fixed at $70,000. Those who received sentences of six years must furnish $60,000. Four years $40,000 and so on down the line. The lowest bail will be $10,000.

According to defense lawyers the court, Judges Seaman, Kohlsatt and Baker sitting, seemed most impressed by the restriction feature of the argument presented this forenoon. Defense's lawyers stated that money enough to admit all to bail would be forthcoming.

All of the men are now entitled to bond until their case is heard by the higher court, excepting Herbert S. Hockin, who has taken no appeal.

(By United Press.)

Chicago, Jan. 3.—Attorneys for the 33 convicted dynamite conspirators now in Leavenworth prison appeared before the United States circuit court of appeals this morning to ask for a supersedas writ and release on bond all of the men in the penitentiary except Herbert S. Hockin, who will not ask for an appeal.

Judges Baker, Seaman and Kohlsaat were sitting. Herbert S. Hockin will not appeal. Judge Baker state dthe theoretical point of the writ of error was not well taken. He added that there was no occasion for the court of appeals to supervene in any case unless it is shown that the procedure of the lower court was questionable at law.

NOTHING SLOW BUT HIS NAME

(By United Press.)

Chicago, Jan. 3.—M. I. Sloman, an insurance solicitor, was undergoing an operation for goiter at a hospital. He had taken no anesthetic and Dr. Eisendrath asked him to speak in order to try his throat.

"Doctor, have you ever thought of getting an insurance policy for your wife and family?" asked Sloman.

Before he left the hospital he had gotten the doctor for $5,000 and three nurses for $1,000 each.

Carlisle Block At Cincinnati Burned

(By Associated Press.)

Cincinnati, O., Jan. 3—The six story stone front Carlisle building, located at the southwest corner of Fourth and Walnut streets, one of the oldest in the city and the pride of Cincinnati a decade ago, was almost wiped out by fire early today entailing a loss of more than $100,000 to the building and the firms in the structure. The heaviest loss is sustained by Clegg-McFee & Co., wood and half tone engravers. This concern's loss is estimated at $15,000. The building contained about 50 offices and most of them were occupied.

TOOK HIMSELF TO PEN TO SERVE YEAR TERM

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Refusing to tell the real facts concerning the crime for which he is about to pay the penalty, and carrying his own commitment papers, Emil Schulteis, of Hamilton, Butler county, sentenced to one year in the pen, was received at the big prison today. He pleaded guilty to manslaughter in connection with the murder of John Hardesty and refused a suspended sentence on condition that he would tell all the facts in the case.

George Schulteis, Emil's father, and Chris Dilli were indicted for the killing of Hardesty, but when Emil pleaded guilty, the charges against the others were dropped. He was sentenced by Judge Warren Gard.

Judge Harlan succeeded Judge Gard on the bench. Judge Harlan was Schulteis' attorney before he became judge and the arrangement to allow him to be his own custodian on his way to the pen was satisfactory to both judges.

Hardesty, who had served a term in the pen, was killed in the garden of the Schulteis family home during a quarrel in which Mrs. Hardesty is said to have been badly beaten. The real facts of the murder never became known.

NINE KILLED IN A RAID

(By Associated Press.)

Valencia-De-Minho, Portugal, Jan. 3.—A daring band of smugglers on the Portuguese frontier carried off $99,000 in cash after a desperate battle with a cattle raiser and 40 of his herdsmen, in the course of which nine of the cowboys were killed and fifteen seriously injured.

A friend o' mine was a' wishin' last night that I'd ring off on th' gentle summer business an' start a little real weather. When I told him I would he laughed at me—thought I couldn't deliver th' goods. Guess I've "showed" him all right. It's time now for "Tom" an' "Herb" t' boost their weather prophet "rep" by predictin' a thaw for sometime in th' future. Here's for tomorrow:

Ohio—Fair tonight, except snows near Lake Erie. Colder in north and east portion. Saturday fair.

Kentucky—Fair tonight. Saturday warmer in western and central portion.

ADRIANOPLE SAID TO HAVE FALLEN, PEACE SITUATION

(By Associated Press.)

London, Eng., Jan. 3.—A rumor that the Turkish fortress of Adrianople had fallen into the hands of the besiegers was current here today.

(By Associated Press.)

Athens, Greece, Jan. 3.—The Turkish garrison of the island of Chios, numbering 2,000 men of all arms, surrendered unconditionally today to the Greek troops.

(By Associated Press.)

Vienna, Austria, Jan. 3.—Austro-Hungary and Italy will send a joint expedition force into Albania immediately after the conclusion of the London conference, according to the Wiener Journal today. This step, it is said, is to be taken by the two allies in order to pacify Albania and establish a new condition of affairs there.

(By Associated Press.)

London, Eng., Jan. 3—Stojan Nocakovitch, leader of the Servian peace delegation, said this morning he was sure the allies would ultimately carry their point. "Turkey" he said, "probably will continue to resist the giving up of Adrianople but facts will soon be stronger than theories and she will be compelled in the end to give way."

The opening of today's peace conference at St. James palace was postponed until 6 o'clock this evening.

LINER SINKS, PASSENGERS ARE RESCUED

(By Associated Press.)

Bona, Algeria, Jan. 3.—The Cunard liner Tyria rescued and brought into this port today 98 of the passengers of the French mail steamer St. Augustin, running between Marseilles and Algeria. The St. Augustin foundered while the Tyria had her in tow.

BLEW SAFE, GOT $12

(By United Press.)

Harberton, O., Jan. 3.—Yeggs last night blew the safe of the Methie Lumber company and escaped with $12.

G. B. Wittman left Thursday in his Ford touring car for a business trip to Buena Vista.

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ROCKEFELLER CASE GOES TO THE HOUSE

(By United Press.)

Washington, Jan. 3.—Spurred on by the report that William Rockefeller is on his way to Bermuda in order to escape testifying before the money trust committee, Chairman Pujo has called a meeting of the committee for tomorrow to discuss a plan of asking for an attachment against Rockefeller for contempt against the House. This would give Sergeant-at-Arms Riddell power to force an entrance into Rockefeller's Fifth avenue mansion.

STOLE A WIFE, IS NOW SUED FOR DAMAGES

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Jan. 3.—Charging that George D. Balts, wealthy Detroit merchant, had stolen his wife's love, George S. Twomey, also a wealthy Detroit merchant, today filed suit here for $25,000 damages. He said that Balts began paying attentions to Mrs. Twomey in June, 1911, and later took her with him on several trips to various parts of the country. Balts has lived here for the past six months.

Feud Case Is Ready For Jury

(By United Press.)

Winchester, Ky., Jan. 3.—The defense in the case of Fletcher Deaton, the first of the 15 men to be tried for the murder of former sheriff and feudist leader, Ed Callahan, of Breathitt county, closed at 9:15 this morning. It is expected that the case will reach the jury tonight.

Has Moved To Kenova

N. & W. Conductor T. G. Crigger, has moved his family to Kenova. He formerly resided at 1718 Gallia street.

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SENATOR JEFF DAVIS DIED EARLY FRIDAY

(By Associated Press.)

Little Rock, Ark., Jan. 3.—Definite arrangements for the funeral of the late United States Senator Jeff Davis had not been completed this morning, but it is probable that it will be held on Sunday afternoon and the body placed in the family burial lot at Russellville.

Senator Davis died suddenly at 12:35 this morning of heart trouble, the culmination of an illness of several months. However, his condition apparently was improving, as yesterday he was at his office the greater part of the day.

The death of Senator Davis creates a peculiar political situation, and while an authoritative statement has not been made, it is possible that a special primary will be held to elect his successor. As an alternative, it was suggested that the legislature would have to appoint successor.

Senator Davis was born in Little Rock county, Ark., May 6, 1862. He was a son of Lewis W. and Mary Davis. He was educated at Russellville, Ark., and received his degree of L. L. B. from Vanderbilt university in 1884.

He was admitted to the bar in 1884, practicing law for several years. He was prosecuting attorney for the Fifth Judicial district of Arkansas, and was elected attorney-general of the state in 1898. He was governor of Arkansas from 1900 to 1907, holding the proud distinction of being the only governor twice elected in Arkansas. He was elected United States Senator in 1907, and his term would have expired on March 4, of this year. He was a delegate-at-large to the Democratic National convention in 1904.

He won much renown by his attitude toward gambling and racing at Hot Springs.

From his maiden speech in 1907 onward he was aggressive to the verge of violence, and often engaged in verbal controversies with fellow-members of the Senate.

Chicken Was Sent By Mail

(By United Press.)

Mt. Vernon, O., Jan. 3.—A four-pound chicken was sent today by C. D. Fish to his son in Cleveland by parcels post. It cost 26 cents.

EXPLOSION AT CAPE TOWN

(By Associated Press.)

Cape Town, Jan. 3—Seven men were killed and several others seriously injured by an explosion here early today in the De Beers dynamite works in the town of Somerset.

INAUGURATION PROGRAM IS GIVEN OUT

(By United Press.)

Columbus, Ohio, Jan. 3—Eleven features of the inauguration of Governor-elect James M. Cox, on January 13th, will be crowded into the space of one hour and twenty-five minutes, according to the program given out today.

At 11:30 a. m. the ceremonies will start in the state house with music, song, prayer and the presentation of his commission to Mr. Cox by Gov. Harm. And at 12 o'clock, noon, Cox will take the oath of office, which will be administered by Chief Justice Schauck, of the supreme court. The inauguration will then take place, then more music, benediction and at 12:55 the party will be ready to view the inaugural parade.

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EACH SENATOR TO GET BIG COMMITTEE

(By Associated Press.)

Columbus, O., Jan. 3—Under the tentative plan of the caucus committee on committees, which will report to the senate caucus each of the seven representatives in the upper house, will be given a chairmanship of a committee.

Senator Greenlund, Democrat, is slated for the chairmanship of the temperance committee, and Senator Weygrandt, Democrat, for the chairmanship of committee on manufactures.

Each of these chairmanships is considered important because of the announced intention of the legislature to introduce important bills relating to liquor license and workmen's compensations.

Reserves Called On

(By Associated Press.)

Bucharest, Roumania, Jan. 3—The officers of the reserve of the Roumanian army have been ordered to report for service and to be in readiness to join the colors at a moment's notice.

Autoist Drows In Ditch

(By Associated Press.)

Bowling Green, O., Jan. 3—The body of Charles Schumaker, 35, farmer, of Wood county, was found beneath his automobile about 10 o'clock today, lying in a ditch about half a mile from his home. There was a great deal of water in the ditch and it is believed his death was caused by drowning.

BLOWN FROM TRAIN

(By Associated Press.)

Cleveland, O., Jan. 3—During the fierce blizzard that swept down upon northern Ohio today Richard Mills, brakeman on the Newberg and South Shore railroad was blown from the top of a freight car and instantly killed.

Negro Is Hanged

(By Associated Press.)

Birmingham, Ala., Jan. 3—Will Wright, negro, was hanged today at Ft. Payne for the murder of Pat Murphy, near Collinsville. Following a robbery Wright fired on his pursuers, killing one of them.

Returns To Work

Jos. Scholl has returned to his work at the steel plant, after recovering from a recent injury sustained to his eye. A small piece of emery flew into the optic several days ago, but was extracted by a physician.

To Enter Conservatory.

Thomas Curry will leave Saturday for Cincinnati where he will re-enter the conservatory of music.

MENINGITIS EPIDEMIC IS GROWING SERIOUS

(By United Press.)

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 3.—With 15 deaths from spinal meningitis reported during the night, quarantine lines were being more tightly drawn today and every effort being made to fight the epidemic, which is said to have been caused by the Mississippi flood last April.

Over 200 new cases developed in western Tennessee and eastern Arkansas. The death rate in Arkansas is 50 per cent.

Three Storms Are Sweeping Country

(By Associated Press.)

New York, Jan. 3—Three storms of extraordinary violence occurring almost simultaneously in widely separated sections of the country were reported by the telegraph dispatches today.

The first of the storms raged south of Washington. Next in violence was a wind storm in the Middle West. The third storm area was in the states of Washington and Oregon.

COLD SNAP TO CHECK EPIDEMIC

City Physician Wendelken stated Friday that the sudden cold snap came as a check to another epidemic of diphtheria. The wave of contagion is nipped in the bud, as the warm weather served to incubate a number of new cases of the malady about the city. Many cases of grip are also reported prevalent in the city.

COLLECTOR BOUND OVER FOR ALLEGED ASSAULT

Charles Dean, well known collection agent, waived examination on the charge of assaulting Dr. A. F. Hill when arraigned in police court Friday morning.

Dean was bound over to the grand jury by Mayor Fred N. Tynes in the sum of $200. Sam Schloss went his security. Court was then adjourned, as there were no other cases on the docket.

The alleged assault upon Dr. Hill, formerly of East Portsmouth, now of Chattanooga, Tenn., and who was here visiting his brother-in-law, Harrison Montgomery, occurred Thursday afternoon at Dean's office. Dr. Hill claims to have placed some accounts with Dean to collect for him. He stated he called at the latter's office Wednesday, but found Dean out. An examination of Dean's books, it is said, showed the collections had been made for the physician. He returned to Dean's office Thursday afternoon. Mr. Dean, it is said, attacked him immediately, striking him on the head and kicking him on the left leg, at the same time calling him vile names and ordering him from his office. Dr. Hill said he made no effort to fight back, but calmly went his way.

Railway Co. Will Organize

Stockholders of the Portsmouth Street Railway and Light Company are to meet Monday evening, January 6, in the office on Offnero street, for the purpose of reorganizing for the year. The meeting will be called to order at 7 o'clock.

Greatest Of All Is Charity

Employes of the Mitchell Manufacturing Company have temporarily lessened the burden of Goldie Stone, an associate employe residing on Front street, who is bedfast with an attack of typhoid fever. A purse of $12 was collected among her associate shoe string workers and presented to the girl.

Going To College

Ollie Clutts, of Wheelersburg, dropped into the city Friday to prepare for his departure for Columbus Saturday where he will re-enter Ohio State University after spending Christmas with his parents.

Expert Secured.

Robert Shanks, an experienced motorcycle repairer of Huntington, has succeeded Louis Hixon at Tide Davenport's shop. Hixon resigned.

Will Quit Diamond

Jimmy Barton, who formerly managed the Hamilton team in the Ohio State league, and who has numerous friends here, has accepted a clerical position in the court house in Newport and will give up the diamond as a means of making a livelihood.

WILL ENLARGE LUNCH ROOM

E. Gibson, proprietor of the Little Lunch Room on Chillicothe street, is going to add an addition to his place. A new kitchen will be built and the capacity of his dining room will be doubled.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the Prudential Life Insurance company for the full statement of claim paid on the life of our daughter, Ada Sutton, 22 hours after the claim was presented.

R. E. AND MARY SUTTON.

Jan. 3-adv1,1t

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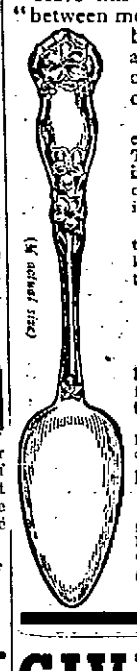

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CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS

The following civil service examinations will be held at Portsmouth, O., on the dates mentioned:

Press Feeder (male), Jan. 22.
Cadet, Officer (male), Jan. 22.
Cadet, Engineer (male), Jan. 22.
Junior Alloy Chemist (male), Jan. 8.
Blue Printer (male), Jan. 22.
Tariff Clerk (male), Jan. 22.
Scientific assistant in Plant Physiology (male), Jan. 6.
Assistant Agriculturist in Farm Economies (male), Jan. 8.
Laboratory helper, candy making (male), Jan. 8.
Chief of Field Service in Rural Education (male), Jan. 13.
Engineer and Planer (male), Jan. 8.
Farm Architect (male), Jan. 13.
Agronomist in Wheat Investigation (male), Jan. 20.

For application blanks and further information, address W. J. Griver, Secy.

Leases A Good Farm

William Vaughters has leased the Spellacy farm on the West Side and expects to put a force of men at work cultivating it in the spring.

WILL OPEN JAN. 9TH

Owing to repairs which are being made in the Brodt shoe manufacturing plant on Front street being delayed, the plant will not resume operations until Thursday morning, January 9.

Hamden Mayor Has Resigned

Hamden, O., Jan. 3.—In order to qualify for the office of representative of Vinton county, to which he was elected in November, W. A. Ruhlman yesterday resigned as mayor of Hamden. Dr. W. H. Henry, who was president of council, succeeds him as mayor.

Elmer Schoelwer, who is employed in the clothing department of the Salvage store, has returned from a short visit to home folks in Cincinnati.

Look! Here's Your Chance!

The time has come when we must move out the rest of our stock of winter goods. Nothing is reserved. All must go. Our patrons know that when The Famous cuts the prices, the reductions are real ones, and that big bargains await them. We are the "Store of Little Expense and Big Values."

Look at the prices we are quoting and then come in and see the stock:

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$12.00 Suits and Overcoats ..... $ 9.98
$15.00 Suits and Overcoats $12.98
$16.50 Suits and Overcoats $14.48
$18.00 Suits and Overcoats $15.98
$20.00 Suits and Overcoats $16.98
$22.50 Suits and Overcoats $18.48

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Savage Attack Is Made on W. R. Hearst By Senator Bailey

Washington, Jan. 3.—A savage attack upon William R. Hearst characterized the closing of the "swan song" of Senator Joseph W. Bailey, of Texas, delivered in the senate late Thursday.

Mr. Bailey said the advocates of the direct form of government declared they were not working for the overthrow of this government. "They are mistaken," he said. "in the belief that they can establish a direct form of government without overthrowing the whole structure of representative government.

"It has come to a choice between the side led by the mighty spirits of another day and the side led by the noisy demonstrators of today. For my part, I am ready to enlist under the banner of the mighty dead—of Washington, and Jefferson and Madison.

"They say that representative government has broken down in our government," said Senator Bailey. "If that were true it would almost justify a revision. But I maintain it is not true. I maintain that the government is more representative of the people today than ever before in the history of the republic.

"There is a criticism, but it is of quite a different character. The real criticism today is that the representatives of the people are too quick to represent the views of the people, as they are hastily expressed before time has been given for mature consideration."

"I have become convinced," he said, "that the present great popular unrest had its beginning in what was intended as mere idle gossip."

Newspapers, he said, began publishing lists of "millionaire senators" apparently only because they wanted "something to write," and the demand for such matter became insane.

Senator Bailey said he overheard a Washington man point at the senate chamber building and say: "That's where those old fellows fix up their bills, drink their champagne and get drunk as lords." That's the kind of a reputation the representatives of the American people are given and usually with no better foundation."

Continuing his attack on journals and papers, Mr. Bailey picked up a magazine published by Wm. R. Hearst. "A political degenerate, a political coward," shouted Senator Bailey, referring to Mr. Hearst.

Senator Ashurst, of Arizona, rushed to his feet. "Mr. president, I could lie false to friendship,—" he began.

"If you want to reply to that, you can do so outside," interrupted Mr. Bailey, heatedly.

"Very well, I'll do so," retorted Mr. Ashurst, sitting down.

Mr. Bailey quoted one of the letters published by Mr. Hearst, purporting to have been written by Mr. Bailey from the senate, Feb. 24, 1911. "I did not even become a member of the senate until March 4, 1911," said Mr. Bailey. He declared Mr. Hearst had used stolen letters in an attempt to create the impression that the Standard Oil company controlled legislation. Quite many of the letters used, he said, were in fact unrelated to any matters of legislation.

Senator Bailey said that the cry today was that the new movement was "Let the people rule!" He denounced that as false. "There are the Southern States," he said. "There is not a Southern state that has adopted woman suffrage and I hope they will not. I can not understand how any woman wants to step down from the high pedestal upon which man has placed her to mingle in the broils and debaucheries of politics. No, the Southern States believe in the rule of the men people. And not only in that, but in the white men people, and I agree with them."

"The curse of the time is that we are appealing to ignorance and prejudice," he said. "We are teaching the rich that the poor are their natural enemy and teaching the poor that the rich are their natural oppressors."

WITH THE SICK

Hope, which shortly after the third operation burned strong in the hearts of friends of Mrs. John Flood, has been smothered by the news that she has suffered a relapse and is again in a critical condition in the Mt. Carmel hospital in Columbus. Mrs. W. L. Bayless, who has returned from the bedside, holds out little encouragement for Mrs. Flood's recovery. She is in a semi-conscious condition and hardly able to recognize friends and relatives.

Mr. John Maloy, of Middlesboro, Ky., and Miss Kate Maloy, of Wellston, Ohio, who were called here by the serious illness of their sister, Mrs. Clara Maloy Cofer, have returned to their respective homes. Mrs. Cofer is now slowly recovering from an operation for appendicitis, which she underwent last Saturday at Hempstead hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Simon's daughters, Mary and Madeline, of Pond Creek, are ill with scarlet fever.

In a serious condition suffering with typhoid fever, Thomas A. Crull lies at his home on High street. He is a well known local shoe cutter.

Mrs. J. D. Creveling, wife of the principal of the high school, has so far recovered from her recent operation in the Grant hospital in Columbus as to be able to leave the institution and return to her home on Ninth street this city. She visited her sister at Mt. Vernon before returning to Portsmouth.

Miss Nora Thompson, of Eighth street, was taken suddenly ill Wednesday, but was reported much better today.

George Gies, Sr. is confined to his home on Kinney street with an attack of the grip.

H. B. Adams, former county clerk, and now cashier at the Ohio Valley Bank, is laid up at his home with a severe attack of grip. His condition Wednesday night was extremely serious, but Thursday he was considerably improved. Mr. Adams' daughter, Miss Grace, underwent an operation Thursday for the removal of a foreign growth on her foot, which has given her much pain and worry for several weeks. The operation was a success.

Miss Mayme Faivre has returned to her work in Judge Beatty's office, after a week's illness.

George W. Schroeder, harness-maker and awning manufacturer, was called to Maysville, Ky., on Thursday by the serious illness of his aged mother.

Dora, the little three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Oakes, of Wheelersburg, is ill with diphtheria.

Tom Bird, the expressman, who was injured by a heavy door falling on him at the Southern Express depot, Thursday developed mumps and is again laid up at his home on Court street.

Ruth, the young daughter of H. E. Harwood, insurance agent of South Portsmouth, who came dangerously near choking to death on a coffee grain, is now reported almost recovered from the effects of the accident.

Mrs. Edward Beeie, who has been ill for the past month, is much better and she was able to return to her home Thursday from the Hempstead hospital.

J. E. Wilson, assistant secretary of the Ky. Y. M. C. A., who was taken suddenly ill Wednesday, is much better today.

Mrs. James A. Hill, of Gay street, who was brought home from Columbus recently in a precarious condition, was able to sit up for a short time Thursday. Owing to his wife's continued ill health, Mr. Hill is seriously thinking of quitting the road and engaging in some kind of business here. He has for many years been traveling salesman for the Brown Publishing Company, of Warren, Ohio.

Mrs. Joseph Swander, who was suddenly stricken with nomalgia of the heart while visiting at the home of Miss Anna Sacks, of Third street, a few days ago, was able to be removed to her own home on Eleventh street, Thursday evening.

Master Floyd, Jr., the 3-year-old son of Floyd Unger, of Hans & Unger, tailors and cleaners, is quite ill at the family home on Robinson avenue.

Charles Jack, a porter at William McCormick's saloon on Second street, dropped in his tracks Thursday evening, and for a time was thought to be dying. He was rushed to the city prison and City Physician Charles Wendelken attended him. He found him suffering from the effects of a protracted spree. Jack was released Friday morning.

Doors Were Left Open

Officer M. V. Martin in making his rounds early Friday morning found the side doors of the Y. W. C. A. building at Second and Gay streets open. An investigation showed nothing disturbed in the building.

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"Pape's Diapepsin" Cures Sour, Gassy Stomachs In Five Minutes.

Time it! In five minutes all stomach distress will go. No indigestion, heartburn, sourness or belching of gas, acid, or eructations of undigested food, no dizziness, bloating, foul breath or headache.

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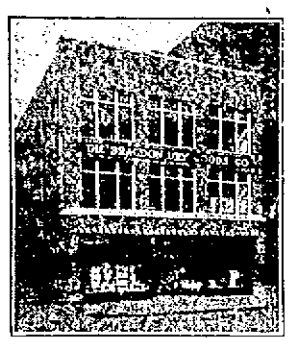

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Ready-to-wear Garments, Floor Coverings, Curtain Draperies, Bed Coverings, etc.

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15 Days of Marvelous Value Giving. Outdoing all Previous Records

Store Closed FRIDAY AFTERNOON to Mark Down and Get Ready for the Big Rush Saturday morning.

Weather against us this winter--Heavy stocks that must be cleaned out regardless of cost or Loss. You will talk of this Sale for Months to come

Every item this season's make, and not shop worm or out of date merchandise.
You recall our unfortunate fire last January. We opened up our entire new stock March 1st.
These matchless values will surely influence big purchases, and hundreds of our customers will stock up for months to come. Many small lots of merchandise not here mentioned that are wonderful bargains.
Come early, be among the first to secure the plums. No duplicating these bargains.
Extra sales force to insure prompt service as possible.

Hope Bleached Muslin, per yard..7½c
Special 36 inch Bleached Muslin $ 1-3c values, per yard 6c
9-4 Bleached and Unbleached Sheeting per yard 17c
42 inch Pillow Tubing, per yard 12½c
All Prints, grey, dark and light blue Shirtings, Shepherd Checks, etc., per yard 5c
28 inch Fleeced Flannelettes, 10c and 12½c values, per yard 6c
36 inch best makes Percales, light and dark patterns, per yard 9c
38 inch Dress Ginghams, stripes and checks, always 10c, per yard ..7½c
All colors in Irish Poplins and Soisettes per yard 20c
1st Kimono Crepes, 15c to 18c qualities, choice per yard 10c
36 inch doubledefold Danish, Poplar and Serges in Navy, Black, Brown and White, always 25 cents. Choice, per yard 18c

One lot of Doubledefold Plaid Dress Goods, per yard 8c
18 inch Fancy Silks, 50c to 75c values. Choice, per yard 29c
25 inch Fancy Silks, $1.00 values, choice, per yard 59c
Yard wide Fancy Silks, $1.00 to $1.25 values, choice per yard 69c
All colors Seco Silks, dots and figured. Per yard 15c
50 inch Bleached Damask and 60 inch Unbleached Damask, per yard ..21c
60 inch fine Mercerized Bleached Damask, per yard 29c
64 inch fine Mercerized Bleached Damask, per yard 35c
72 inch fine Mercerized Bleached Damask, per yard 45c
1-4 off on all Napkins.
72x80 Bleached Hemmed Sheets ..36c
72x80 Hemmed Bleached Sheets ..48c
36x42 Pillow Cases 8c

Women's Tailored Suits

The season's very latest models and fabric ideas. Every suit in the store $15.00 to $35.00 values $10.98
Children's, Misses' and Women's Long Coats, assortments too large too classify, but the bargains here are the greatest. We simply must clean up all Winter Coats.
Women's fine Wool Dresses, $7.98 to $12.50 values, choice entire lot ..$6.25
100 fine Dress Skirts, all new Fall models, mostly all Wool Serges in blue and black, $3.50 to $6 values, Choice $2.75
Children's All Wool Serge Dresses, $5 values $2.50
Women's All Silk Fancy Waists, Messaline and Taffeta, $3.50 to $4.50 values, choice $1.98
50 Rain Coats, sizes 18 to 40, grey and tan $1.98
WOMEN'S OUTING GOWNS—
50c quality 39c
75c quality 50c
$1.00 quality 75c
Children's Sleeping Outing Garments with feet 30c
Children's Outing Flannel Rompers 50c quality 25c

Millinery Department

25 Trimmed Hats, regular price $4.00 to $10.00, choice $2.00
30 Trimmed Hats, $2.00 to $3.75 values, choice $1.00
50 Children's Felt Hats, $1.50 to $2.00 values, choice 75c
All Caps and Bonnets cut to one-half price.
Lot of fine All Wool Aviation Caps, Little Folks', Misses' and Women's sizes, 50c to $1.00 values, choice 25c
Boys' Wool Tassel Caps (Tacques) 25c to 50c values, choice 15c
Women's fine Wool Sweaters, $3.50 to $5.00 values, choice $1.48
Children's fine Wool Sweaters, 50 cent values 25c
$1.00 values 39c
Men's Wool Sweaters in grey only, $1 values 50c
Fleeced Dressing Sacques 15c
Fleeced Flannelettes and Gingham House Dresses, $1.00 and $1.25 values choice 69c
Outing Flannel Skirts, 50c values ..19c
Children's Outing Skirts, 25c values 12c

Record Prices on Underwear and Hosiery

Never Before Equaled Here or Elsewhere

Underwear

Women's Fleeced Ribbed Union Suits in cream or white, sizes 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, always 50c and 59c, choice 29c
Women's fine Ribbed Fleeced Union Suits, sizes 36, 38, 40, 75c values, choice 48c
Women's extra quality fine Fleeced Ribbed Union Suits, Bleached and cream, with long or one-half sleeves, $1.00 and $1.25 values, choice ..69c
Women's fine Fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, all sizes, 5 to 9, 50c and 75c values, choice 33c
Women's extra heavy fleeced Ribbed Vests and Pants, white, ...19c
Women's Wool Vests and Pants in grey and white, $1 values 69c
Misses' Fleeced Ribbed Union Suits19c
Misses Fine Union Suits, 50c values 25c
Men's Fleeced Ribbed Shirts and Drawers 39c
Men's fine Fleeced Ribbed Union Suits for 79c
Men's Grey Wool Ribbed Union Suits for $1.50
Men's Heavy Wool Underwear, grey and scarlet 79c
Boys' extra heavy Fleeced Union Suits for 39c
Children's Black Wool Tights, all sizes, 50c quality 25c
Fine Silk Scarfs, assorted colors and designs, 75c to $1.00 values, choice only 48c
Leather Bags, $1.00 to $1.50 values, choice 79c
5 and 6 inch Hair Ribbons, Messalines, Taffeta in plain and fancy Ribbons, choice, per yard 15c
Men's and Women's Umbrellas.
$1.00 to $1.25 values, choice 85c
$1.50 to $1.75 values, choice ..$1.25
$2.00 to $2.25 values, choice $1.69

Hosiery

Women's Burson Hose, all weights, per pair 12c
Women's fine Fleeced Lined Hose, 25c values, per pair 15c
Women's heavy weight, fine Imported Hose, mostly black, 50c values, per pair 25c
Women's Silk Hose, black, tan and white, 35c quality 21c
50c quality 35c
$1.00 quality 75c
Children's extra heavy Hose in black, 15c values, all sizes, per pair, . 10c
Misses' fine Ribbed Lisle finish Hose, per pair 10c
Men's fine Silk finish Socks, in all colors and black, 25c values, per pair 12c
Women's White Foot Hose, 15c values, for 10c
Men's 50c Suspenders, choice, per pair for 25c
Men's and Boys' Working Gloves, one-third off regular prices.

Misses' Golf Gloves, all colors and sizes 25c to 35c values, per pair.....15c
Good full size Bed Spreads, square, fringed and cut corners,.....98c
Great values in Cotton and Wool Blankets.
Full sized Knotted Comforts, pure cotton filled 89c
9x12 Room Size Rugs, Tapestry Rugs, $12.50 values $9.00
Axminster Rugs, $22 and $25 values choice $19.00
27x54 Velvet Rugs, $1.50 values, choice only 98c
Lot of Curtain Swisses, 12 and 15c values, choice 10c
Trunks, Valises, Suit Cases, all at special prices.
Men's Shirts, all sizes, 50c values ..39c
Men's Handkerchiefs, 10c values..5c
Toilet Soaps, 5c sizes, per cake 2c
Special prices on Jewelry, Combs Brushes and all small articles.

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THE FRUITS OF VICTORY.

We notice organs of the defunct Republican party are throwing out many taunts over the alleged pressure being brought upon the incoming national administration, in regard to the distribution of official patronage.

It dosn't make a particle of difference whether this pressure is fictitious or actual. The fact is, if the sole survivors of the late disaster to the G. O. P. were not disposed to so grimly hold onto their jobs, it would not be necessary for Democrats to display any anxiety about them.

Mr. Taft did a most despicable thing in putting about 50,000 of his hirelings under the protection of the civil service, just when it had become apparent to him he was to be the worst beaten man that ever ran for re-election and, of course, Democrats who have a most laudable desire to place their patriotic and efficient talents at their country's command, naturally feel some uneasiness as to this, and they are insistent the nation shall not be deprived of their services. They want it to get the full fruits of victory, wrung from the parasites and big interests.

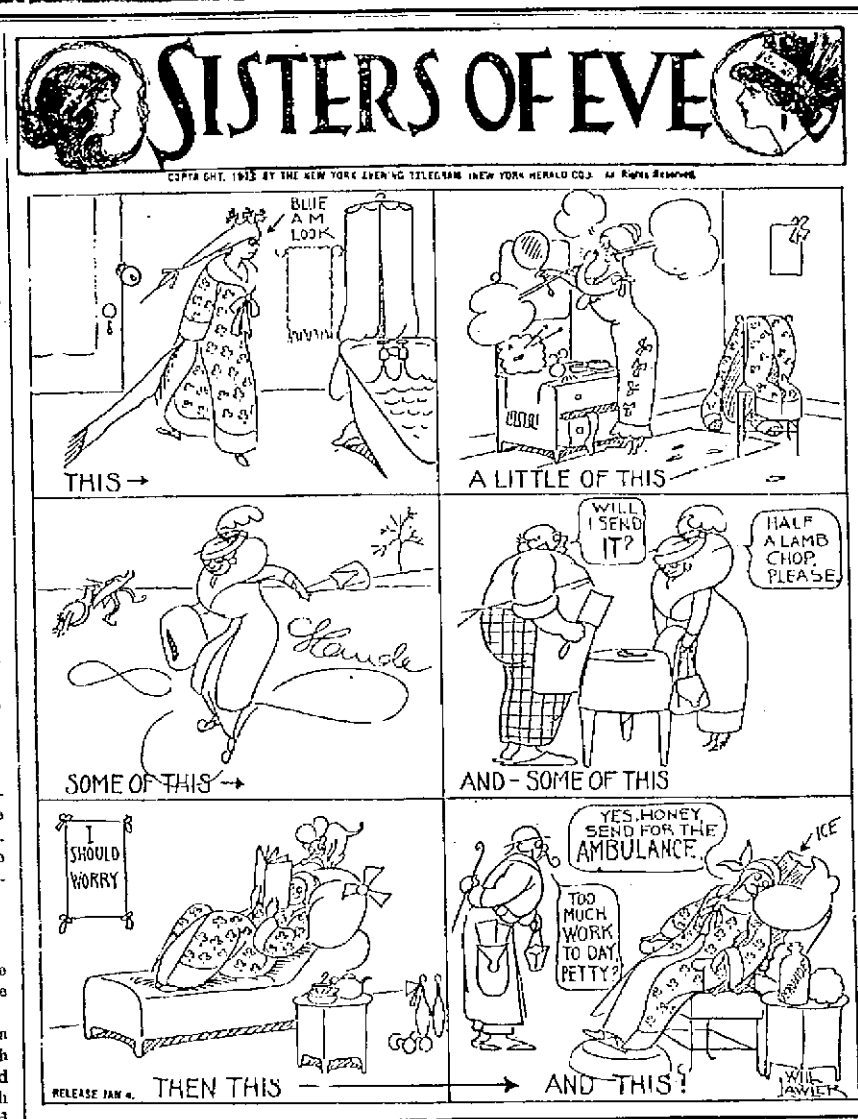
AN N. & W. NEW YEARS GIFT.

The Norfolk & Western Railway Company handed the Portsmouth traveling public a nice little New Year's gift by taking the Pullman cars off of two of its trains. When will the N. & W. quit devoting all of its energies towards carrying freight, while it regards the carrying of passengers, their comfort and convenience as an incidental matter that has to be put up with?

TWO OF A KIND.

Judging from reports that are seeping out of Columbus, the two legislators that Scioto county sends up there are going to fare handsomely in the respective bodies where each will serve.

This will be entirely agreeable to their constituents. In a legislature, notorious for its debauchery and corruption, both came through clean and without a breath of suspicion attached to their official conduct. Not only that, they attended with marked diligence and intelligence to their duties and acquired state reputations for capability and fitness for such positions.



WILL ERECT NEW CHURCH

At a meeting of the official board of the Christian church at New Boston, held on Thursday evening, it was decided to erect a new church as forecasted in Thursday's Times.

The chuch will be of brick and will cost in the neighborhood of $3,500. The plans will be drawn by Frank Carver and it is hoped to let the contract within the next three weeks. The building will be capable of seating 500 people, outside of the basement, which will be used for prayer meeting and Sunday school.

The building will be erected on the site of the present structure, which will be torn down, and much of the timber used in the construction of the new church home. New seats will be provided and when the building is completed the members of the church will have one of the most modern church plants of any village in the county.

Fire In A Restaurant

When the heat in the stove at the Oyster Bay restaurant became too intense, Friday morning, the walls caught fire. Fortunately attaches of the place discovered the blaze in time to dash a couple of buckets of water on it and extinguish it. Very little damage was done.

Insure with Marvin C. Clark, Opera House Bldg. adv

Mr. Whitman In Charge.

George B. Whitman of Jackson assumed charge of the Thomas W. Watkins farm in Nile township, Thursday. Mr. Whitman traded two houses on Baird avenue for the farm last week.

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"THE CARLETON SISTERS and ASSOCIATE PLAYERS"
In Latest Dramatic Successes with 3 big vaudeville acts 3.
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A domestic comedy in four acts.
Prices: 10, 20, 20c. Wednesday and Saturday matinees 10, 20
Seat sale opens box office Monday. The first 200 ladies securing tickets before 6 p. m. admitted Monday night for 15 cents.

HARRISON FCE.

The Harrison township trustees met Monday. It was their usual yearly settlement day, when they compare the books of the clerk and treasurer of the township.

The farmers in this section are just now actively engaged in talking "telephone" and building and installing independent lines. It is predicted that within the next two weeks there will be close to a dozen companies organized, and at work within less than a radius of ten miles of Harrisonville. A company will be organized at this place Tuesday night with probably a dozen members. The different companies will unite and put in an exchange at Harrisonville.

F. C. White, a hustling granger of near Harrison Mills, has undertaken to introduce a novelty in this section. He has purchased a genuine thoroughbred brood sow of the mule-foot breed.

Miss Mary Seibert is spending a week at the home of her brother, Lewis Seibert, of the Terminals.

Mrs. Geo. W. Haney returned Saturday from a few days' visit with the family of her daughter, Mrs. Crate Martin, of the Star Yard.

Joseph Hossman, of the Peerless, visited his parents here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Leonard and children, of Long Meadow, returned home Sunday after a few days' visit with her parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. McKinley Martin returned to their home in Portsmouth, Monday, after a week's vacation spent in visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. Wm. Seibert and daughter, Miss Myrtle, were the guests of Mrs. Wm. Hossman, Sunday.

RUSHTOWN

Several young people from this place attended the entertainment at McDermott, Christmas eve.

Miss Lida Boyer is visiting her sister, Mrs. Joseph Shulpman, of Sargents.

Charles Nunley and sister, Alta, were shopping in Portsmouth Friday, and the latter also had some dental work done.

Mrs. America McDaniel, of Columbus, visited her sister, Mrs. Harrison Massie, from Tuesday to Friday.

Frank Shultz's mother, Mrs. Orin, is very ill at her home on Brush Creek.

Edgar Shultz visited relatives at Bear Creek, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Massie were the Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDaniel.

BOBBY IS A CANDIDATE

Robert Lewis is a candidate for an umpiracal post in the Ohio State League.

When President Read comes here in a few days, Lewis will formally file his application for a berth in this organization. He believes he has the requisites of a first class umpire, and is going after the position in earnest. He has been endorsed by Manager Pete Childs and Harry Hinchman.

Mrs. Lon McConnell, wife of an Ironton merchant, is visiting Grocer and Mrs. W. T. McCarty, of Robinson avenue.

Suit Over Rent

The suit of Henry Hanes against Claude Wingfield, to recover $114 for house rent, was given a preliminary whirl in 'Squire Byron's court, Friday morning. Plaintiff alleges that defendant attempted to skip the state without paying the bill. Attorney Clinton M. Searl represented Hanes, while Attorney Thomas represented the defendant. 'Squire Byron reserved his decision in the case.

Mrs. Lottie Downing of near Scioto Furnace, will be brought here Saturday for treatment in the local hospital.

GOOD ROADS ASSOCIATION HELD SPLENDID MEETING

The Scioto County Good Roads Association held a meeting at the court house Friday afternoon. President Lafayette Taylor, of Barden, presided over the meeting and while the attendance was light, what the crowd lacked in numbers was made up in enthusiasm.

After the minutes of the former meeting had been read and approved President Taylor stated that conditions appeared to stand about the same as at the close of the last meeting from the fact that the information wanted and which is material was still missing. The president declared that the keynote of the beginning of the part the organization is to take in co-operating with the county commissioners in the construction of new roads in this county during the next five years the money for which at the rate of $100,000 per year, was authorized by the electors through a bond issue at the last election. Mr. Taylor asserted that the highways must be put in condition in order to make possible the building of good roads such as removing obstructions, which, he declared, was a hindrance to a proper road system.

"We mean to get right to work," said the president, as we are here to assist the commissioners to bring this about."

A resolution was then unanimously adopted instructing the commissioners to cause the property lines along the various roads to be established and then to proceed to cause the abutting property owners to remove any and all obstructions encroaching thereon.

Commissioner Bennett stated that he had interviewed several property owners who have encroached on the roads with fences, etc., and he anticipates but little trouble on that score though he thought it a good idea that the matter be taken up at once so as to have things in shape when the actual work was ready to start in building the roads.

Judge-elect James S. Thomas made a splendid talk on the work of the organization, which he said would continue to grow in importance. He declared the organization would be of great assistance to the commissioners in the big task before them and was sure both sides would work hand in hand.

Mr. Thomas called attention to the big sum of money which will be available for road and bridge building in this county during the next five years and then declared that the funds could be expended wisely or foolishly.

He suggested that an expert road builder be employed to come here and supervise the work of constructing these roads. He asserted that such a man would be of great service to the board in carying out their plans to a successful completion and give the people of the county what they were willing to pay for—good roads.

The judge called attention to the probable road legislation to be enacted by the coming general assembly in relation to the inter-county road system and suggested that the county get what aid that is available from the state before spending the money provided by the bond issue. He closed by urging that the organization ought to keep active and that the organization ought to be strengthened by the securing of recruits to the movement whenever possible.

A motion presented by W. A. McGeorge and unanimously passed that it be the sense of the Scioto County Good Roads Association that our representatives in the General Assembly, Senator Hodson and Representative Frick support any measures that will advance the road system of the state which may be presented for their consideration.

Several others including W. A. McGeorge, Joseph H. Brant and William Bennett participated in the discussion during which many good points were brought out.

New Residents.

John Groh, aged German farmer of Powellsville, arrived here Friday and expects to take up his permanent residence here.

Files Suit In Replevin

An action in replevin was instituted in the common pleas court Friday by Attorney W. J. Meyer, for the Queen City Brick Machine company against Joseph L. Smith and W. Frank Seymour, through which he is seeking to recover possession of a certain combination brick and block press.

The plaintiff says that Smith wrongfully detains the property and that by virtue of a paper writing, purporting to be a chattel mortgage, Seymour claims an interest in the press.

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In a morning dish of

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puts one in fine fettle for the day's work.

Wrong food is usually the main cause of various aches and ills (always handicaps) and proper food is needed to correct them.

For building Brain and Brawn no other food equals Grape-Nuts.

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THESE PRICES ARE FOR SATURDAY ONLY.

Gold Metal Flour, per sack	70c
Fairchild's Bread Flour, per sack	73c
Magnolia Flour, per sack	70c
Jefferson Flour, per sack	75c
Grape Fruit, very fine, each	5c
Nice large red Apples, good cookers and good eaters, per peck	30c
25 pounds of Arbuckles' best Granulated Sugar	$1.40
Gold Sun Coffee, per pound	30c
Old Reliable Coffee, per pound	30c
Arbuckles Coffee, per pound	25c
A good bulk Coffee, the best value in town, per pound	24c
Prunes, guaranteed nice fresh goods, per pound	9c
Victor Toy Oats, new goods, three for	24c
Mackerel, 40c size, three for	25c
Tomatoes, large can, solid pack	10c
Gas Mantels, two for	15c
Gas Globes, two for	15c
Graham Crackers, nice and crisp, per pound	9c
Butter and Oyster Crackers, two pounds	15c
C. C. Pride Butterine, per pound	25c
Butcher's Lard, two pounds	25c

Start the new year right, pay cash and the high cost of living won't worry you.

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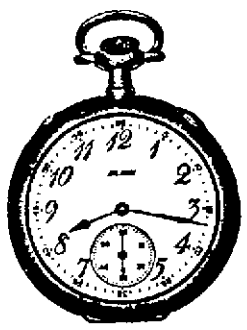

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Dynamite Scared People

Residents in the vicinity of Third and Bond streets were given quite a scare Thursday afternoon when Glen Bardin touched off a stick of dynamite, which he used to loosen some dirt in a cellar he is digging preparatory to the erection of a seven-room house.

The explosion hurled missiles of all descriptions on the adjoining houses and caused considerable excitement in that neighborhood, but practically no damage. Mr. Bardin was notified to discontinue the use of this dangerous explosive in the city limits.

LYMAN H. HOWE MATINEE AT THE Grand Opera House

Tonight and Also Saturday!

"The Greatest Pictures Brought to The City." Also Saturday night. Reserve your Seats Now.

Boy Took Header

The five-year-old son of Ed Yuenger, 714 Eighth street, was painfully injured Friday afternoon. The little fellow slipped on the floor and fell, his head striking against a rocking chair, cutting quite a gash, one that required several stitches to close. He was rendered unconscious, but soon revived. Dr. Harry A. Schirmann rendered the necessary medical attention.

Organization Deferred

Owing to the fact that G. E. Matthews was called to Cincinnati Friday afternoon on business, the organization of the Portsmouth Veneer and Panel company was postponed until Saturday morning. Ashton Swisshelm, manager of the Mound City, Ill., branch of the firm, is in the city to attend the meeting.

Leaves For Idaho

John Atkinson, son of Rev. J. W. Atkinson, formerly of this city, left Friday for Caldwell, Idaho. Mrs. Atkinson will remain in this city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kahmar, of Sixth street.

SMALL BLAZE AT LUST HOME

Fire discovered early Friday morning in the Phil Lust home on Chillicothe street, was easily extinguished by the police. The officers were passing the house, when they discovered the flames in the kitchen. Members of the household were aroused and the blaze disposed of without the aid of the fire department. Many persons residing in the neighborhood, who had passed the house, thought the glow of the flames was a light from a gas jet. Very little damage resulted.

Insure with Marvin C. Clark, Grand Opera House Building. adv

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness shown us during the illness and death of our beloved daughter, Ada. Also for the beautiful floral tribute from friends and consoling words of the minister.

MR. AND MRS. R. E. SUTTON.

3-1t-adv

Taken To the Works

Gus Rutherford was taken to the Cincinnati workhouse Friday, to serve a sentence of six months imposed by the probate court on a charge of nonsupport.

THE ODD FELLOWS INSTALL OFFICERS

Impressive ceremonies marked the installation of the new officers of Orient Encampment No. 23, I. O. O. F., at their hall, corner of Fifth and Court streets, Thursday night. The new officers installed were: George W. Long, past chief patriarch; James W. Dalton, chief patriarch; O. J. Russell, senior warden; Charles Holmes, junior warden; T. M. Lynn, scribe; Dallas Lemon, treasurer; J. R. Lynn, first watch; A. F. Kirkberger, second watch; Leonidas eKrr, third watch; Frank Gulick, fourth watch; Charles Rice, inside sentinel; John R. Buckley, outside sentinel; R. E. Cox, guide; Louis Drennan, first guard of the tent; Fred Roth, second guard of the tent.

Have A New Parsonage

The church people of the M. E. church, in the Sargent circuit have bought a parsonage near Wakefield, the consideration for which has been paid. Rev. B. D. Morris, the pastor, will move from the North Side to the new manse next week.

RIVER NEWS

The river from Pittsburg to below Huntington is falling, but continues to rise slowly at the local wharf, where a stage of 19 1-2 feet was recorded Friday.

The Val P. Collins passed the Portsmouth wharf Friday morning enroute to Huntington, with empties.

The first floe of ice passed Pittsburg late Tuesday evening. The floe was unexpected and a number of house boats moored along the shores were caught in the jam.

The locals are the only boats due at the Portsmouth wharf, Saturday.

W. A. PLUMMER BACK AGAIN

W. A. Plummer, like Josh Billings, found "loafing the hardest kind of work," and has returned to Portsmouth. He has assumed his former position as salesman for the Peerless Granite Company. He will, however, retain his residency in the Capital City, where his family are residing on Franklin avenue.

"I simply couldn't lead a life of idleness after being on the road 40 years," said Mr. Plummer, "and I had to go back to work to occupy my mind." He will make Portsmouth his headquarters.

A large generator, supplied by the General Electric company, is being installed at the plant of the Portsmouth Vulcan Box Toe Co

Caught Lot Of Fish

Market street pedestrians were treated to quite a sight Friday, Grocer Joe Schaefer displaying 27 Buffalo fishes, which aggregated 350 pounds in weight. The supply came from Vanceburg, Ky.

BUSINESS, RELIGION

Rev. Monroe Toler, of the Missionary Baptist church, has returned from Adams county, where he conducted a successful revival. Besides preaching, he was very successful in selling a line of men and women's wearing apparel.

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WANTED — Experienced cook. Mrs. Holbrook, 1102 Fourth. 3-3t

WANTED—Finisher with experience. Apply in person between 7 and 8 Saturday morning at Steinkamp's. 3-1t

WANTED:—Girl for general house work. Apply 901 4th. Home phone Y 1158. 3tf

WANTED—To buy rubber stamp making outfit. Address Rubber Stamp, 531 6th St. 3tf

WANTED—An experienced girl, no washing, good wages. Apply 850 Second St. 28tf

WANTED:—Girl for general house keeping in family of three. Mrs. M. B. Carter, 1822 Summit St. Phone A 1492. 2-2

WANTED:—Girl for general house work. No washing, good wages. Apply from 5 to 7 p. m. 621 Second St. Phone 163. 2tf

WANTED:—Good young horse. Call Home phone X 1196. 2-3

WANTED:—To buy second hand furniture and clothing, 922 Waller St. Phone Y 1346. 30-6

WANTED:—Girl for general house work. 629 5th. 26tf

NOTICE:—When you want a package deliveryman call Dick Bostwick Phone Y 404 for prompt delivery. 6tf

WANTED:—Carpets to clean. We make rugs out of old carpets. Portsmouth Carpet Cleaning Co. Revare & Klingman. Home phone 190. 20tf

NOTICE:—To keep in health use L. Zuefle's wine, made on his farm. Call 533 Second street at jewelry store. 9tf

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WANTED:—Boy over 17 years of age, 208 Market. 2-3

WANTED:— Dishwasher, 1154 10th St. 2-tf

WANTED:—To buy all kinds of second hand clothing and shoes. G. C. Wallace, Sixth and Gay. 28-6

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FOR SALE:—6 room two story brick house 737 Front, two doors below Old Ladies' Home. Price $1800. Phone X 1361. H. A. Bierley. 3-12

FOR SALE:—Kitchen stove and other household goods. 721 Washington. 2-5

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How often the newspaper report of a fire informs us that a defective flue was the cause? Faulty chimneys have been responsible for innumerable destructive conflagrations. Many's the man who has felt safe in assuming his own fire risk because there were no careless children about, the matches were kept in an earthen jar and similar precautions were taken. One day he is burned out. "The fire was caused by a defective flue" says the next issue of the paper. Are you on the safe side? If not call on us for protection.

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FOR RENT:—Five room house, 2010 Robinson avenue.

Five room house 420 Waller St.

Five room flat, modern improvements, 610 2nd St.

Four room house 1654 11th St. C. S. Cadot, 225 Masonic Temple. 3tf

FOR RENT:—Two rooms for light house keeping at No. 518 3rd St. 3-3

FOR RENT:—8 room house, centrally located. Also large front room for light house keeping, 1004 8th St. 3-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room with bath. 1020 Gallia St. Phone A 431. 3-3

FOR RENT:—1 furnished room with all conveniences, 834 7th Phone X 1187. 3-1

FOR RENT:—Store room and three other dwelling rooms at 18th street and Oakland Ave. Apply to Walter Weber. 3-3

FOR RENT—One furnished room for light housekeeping, 1656 Gallia. 3-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished front room with bath, 622 Offnere street. 3-3t

FOR RENT:—Four room cottage, good location. Will W. Weidner, phone A 918 between 7 and 9 p.m. 2-2

FOR RENT:—Three rooms up, and two down at 905 11th St. Inquire at 702 9th St. 27tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms for light house keeping. 518 3rd St. 31-3

FOR RENT:—Two rooms; water and gas. 102 Thompson St. 31-4

FOR RENT:— 7 room house in good condition, Gallia and Young streets. C. S. Cadot agent. Room 225 Masonic Temple. 31tf

FOR RENT:—One front room furnished for light house keeping, 930 Gallia. 30tf

FOR RENT:—Large front room, nicely furnished, bath and gas. 722 3rd St. 23tf

FOR RENT:—One or two furnished rooms for light house keeping, all conveniences. Inquire 1509 Chillicothe St. 11tf

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During the month of January we will Clean and Press any White Kid Gloves, long or short, for 5 cents per pair.

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FOR RENT—3 unfurnished rooms with bath. 1730 12th St. 2-3

FOR RENT:—Front room for light house keeping. 1414 4th. 2-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished light house keeping room, bath room complete. 1024 Gallia. 2tf

FOR RENT:—Or sale, 8 room residence 1021 2nd. Call phone A 1250. 2tf

FOR RENT:—4 room cottage 1021 13th St. gas for heat and light. Call at 1029 15th St. 2-3

FOR RENT:—3 furnished rooms for light house keeping, and bath. Phone B 741. 2-3

FOR RENT:—Large barn. 1232 12th St. 2-3

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THE MARKETS

GRAIN MARKET OPENING

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 3—Wheat: July, 89¼ to 89⅛ and ¼; Sept., 88⅜ to 88¼; May, 91½.

Corn: July, 49⅝; Sept., 50¼; May, 48½.

Oats: July, 33; May, 32⅞; 32¾ and ⅞.

CLOSE

Wheat: May, 91¼; July, 89⅛; Sept., 88⅛.

Corn: May, 48½; July, 49½; Sept., 50¼.

Oats: May, 32¾; July, 32⅞; Sept., 32⅛.

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

Chicago, Jan. 3.—Hogs: receipts, 26,000; market, 5 higher; mixed and butchers, $7.25 to $7.60; good, $7.35 to $7.60; light, $7.25 to $7.55; pigs, $5.75 to $7.45.

Cattle: receipts, 2,500; market, weak; beeves, $5.80 to $9.50; cows and heifers, $2.85 to $7.60; stockers and feeders, $4.25 to $7.60; calves, $6.50 to $10.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, 13,000; market, steady; natives, $4.35 to $6.40; lambs, $6.20 to $8.75.

Pittsburg, Pa., Jan. 3.—Cattle: supply, light; market, steady; choice, $8.75 to $9; good, $7.75 to $8.25; fair, $6 to $6.50; veal calves, $11 to $11.50.

Sheep and lambs: receipts, fair; market, steady; prime wethers, $5.10 to $5.35; good mixed, $4.60 to $5.60; fair mixed, $4 to $4.50; spring lambs, $5 to $8.75.

Hogs: receipts, 30 doubledecks; market, steady; prime heavy, $7.65; medium, $7.85 to $7.90; heavy porkers, $7.60 to $7.95; light porkers, $7.85 to $8; pigs, $7.95 to $8.

Leo Sommer returned home on Thursday night, from South Bend, Ind.

FOR RENT:—Seven rooms and bath on East Gallia St. Phone 2 on 1293. J. M. Wendelken Agent. 2-3

FOR RENT:—Furnished down stairs front room for gentleman only. 914 7th St. 2-3

FOR RENT:—Two rooms unfurnished. Apply 1211 11th St. 31tf

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms with porch. Apply Hotel Portsmouth. Phone 203. 6tf

FOR RENT:—Furnished rooms for light house keeping with all conveniences. 529 3rd St. 19tf

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished front room, 735 6th. St. 36tf

LOST

LOST—New Year's day, gold bracelet, initials "E. M. H.," in Sun theatre. Return to 2021 Eleventh. Phone A-464. 3-1t

FOUND:—A bracelet. Owner can receive by identifying it and paying for ad. Phone B 1411 or 1917 18th St. 3-1

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We Thank You

To all who have helped make the closing year the most successful in the history of our institution, we express our sincere thanks and appreciation.

To those who may continue to favor us with their business and to those who anticipate establishing relations with us during the coming year we offer our services and assure you our best efforts to serve you well.

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She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, matrimony, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Miss Wise—Am going with a fellow of whom I am jealous, because I beat another girl's time, and I know she loves him better than I do, but I don't want her to have him. He gave me a set of furs for Christmas. Shall I quit him and give back the furs? Please advise.
Jealous.

If you intentionally "beat" another girl's time, you did wrong, and if you are sure she loves him, you will always be jealous. However, I cannot advise you in the matter, as you know the circumstances better than others.

Dear Miss Wise—I am in love with a railroader whom I have met only three times. Would it be proper to invite him to call on me?
"Clara."

If he shows a desire to call, it is proper to extend an invitation, but do not appear so anxious and he will think more of you.

Dear Miss Wise—I have been going with a young man for two years. Is it proper to let him kiss me good-night? Mary.

Not unless you are engaged.

Dear Miss Wise—If a man waits two weeks before answering your letter, do you think he is very much in love with you? Grace.

He may be, at that.

Dear Miss Wise—I have a friend in another city with whom I am deeply in love, but sometimes she refuses to answer my letters. Do you think she cares for me?
Anxious Walter.

Not very much.

Dear Miss Wise—I am in love with a young man and have been since we went to school together, but he doesn't seem to care for me. What is the best thing for me to do?
Broken-hearted Roseanne.

Forget him.

Dear Miss Wise—I have a beau living in the country. Do you think it is all right for me to go with other fellows while staying in the city. Dorothy.

Yes, if you are not engaged, and then it is all right if your fiancé does not object.

Miss Dolly Wise—Will you please give me the meaning of receiving a letter with the stamp on the opposite side of the envelope? I would like to know. Grandma.

It means extra work for the mail clerks and a very foolish thing to do.

Dear Miss Wise—Is it proper to send a young man the first card, if you have only met him a few times.
Lanada.

No.

Fig Pudding

Take one pound of figs, six ounces of suet, three-quarters of a pound of flour and milk; chop the suet finely, mix it with the flour, make into a smooth paste with milk; roll it out about one-half inch thick, cut the figs in small pieces and strew them over the paste; roll it up, make the ends secure; tie the pudding in a cloth and boil from one and one-half to two hours.

SOCIETY FASHION

Mrs. Carl Sack has returned to her home in Cincinnati, after a short visit to her father, Mr. Jos. Guiterman, of Franklin avenue.

Arthur Maule, Will Byers and Will Bruch spent New Year's day in Cincinnati. They with Mr. and Mrs. E. K. S. Clinkenbeard, formed a theatre party at the Keith theatre last night. They expressed the wish that Joe Tinker succeeds more as a manager of the Reds than he does "monologuing" in vaudeville.

Mrs. Homer Butz and daughter, Mildred, are home from a week's visit to Mr. Butz, who conducts a general store at Mineral Springs, Adams county.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winters left Wednesday for Cincinnati. They are expected to return today.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Goshorn, of Charleston, W. Va., were guests at the Washington Hotel, Thursday.

W. S. Bundy, of Athens, O., was a business visitor here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Chandler, who have been spending the holidays with relatives at Knoxville, Tenn., have returned to their home on Robinson avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dixon have returned home from a holiday visit to relatives in Maysville, Ky.

Frank Montague arrived here from Butler county, Pa., Thursday night, to join his wife, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zeisler, Sr., of Glover street. Before returning home Mr. and Mrs. Montague will visit the latter's brother, John Zeisler, Jr., and family, in Cincinnati.

SPECIAL PRICES FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

1 quart Navy Beans 10c
1 quart Pearl Hominy 5c
2 quarts Flake Hominy 5c
1 pound Lard Compound 10c
Good Bacon .....12½c to 18c
Best Flour .....70 and 75c
1 dozen good Eggs ...28 and 32c
1 pound best Country Butter 35c
All the Fruits and Vegetables.
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All of our investments are secured by first mortgage loans on choice city realty and as values are rapidly enhancing these investments are absolutely gilt-edge.

Mrs. Nancy Craig, formerly of this city, arrived here from Wellston Thursday, for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cutlip of Fourth street.

Portsmouth friends of Miss Bessie McMahon, the elder of the two charming daughters of Mr. and Mrs. William McMahon of Walnut Hills, Cincinnati, will be interested to learn that she will be married on February third, to Attorney Joseph Zinona.

Miss McMahon is well known here, as she has often visited at the home of her mate, the Misses Mary and Sara McMahon, during their residence in this city. Mr. Zinona is assistant prosecuting attorney of the Queen City and a splendid young man.

The tenth annual reunion of the class of '02, Portsmouth High school, was held last evening at the residence of Mr. Richard Tremper, with the following members of the class present: Misses Louise Small, Edna Marting, Ruth Peay, Vesta Stockham, Bertha Willohn, Mary Farmer, Mayme Missor, Mrs. Judith Lowry and Messrs. Karl Zoellner, Richard Tremper and William Bruch. Officers for the ensuing year were elected, as follows: President, Karl Zoellner; vice president, Edna Marting; secretary and treasurer, Bertha Willohn. Mrs. Lowry, Miss Small and Mr. Tremper were appointed a committee to arrange for a reunion of the class next year. The class has an unusually large amount of money in the treasury, for a high school class, and last evening they made arrangements to invest the amount in building association stock. Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. W. D. Tremper and daughter, Mrs. Charles Blakemore, of Roanoke, Va., at the close of the meeting.

The T. H. B. club was delightfully entertained on New Year's day at the home of Mrs. William Quinn on Ninth street. Mrs. J. A. Black and Mrs. Harmon were guests. The members present were: Mesdames T. C. Beatty, John Byron, Will Lowry, D. E. Gardner, Harry Walker, Ernest Kidd, Henry Becker, William Journey and Charles Easterday. The needle-work was followed by a luncheon of two courses. The next meeting of the club will be held in two weeks with Mrs. William Journey.

Mrs. Hayden Bush and children of Welcoe, W. Va., arrived yesterday for a visit with her mother, Mrs. John F. Brushart, of Second street.

Mrs. John F. Brushart will entertain a few friends on Saturday afternoon for the pleasure of her daughter, Mrs. Hayden Bush, of Welcoe, W. Va.

GIVE your palate an education. Teach it to discriminate between ordinary cooking chocolate and the exquisite and delicate Rona Dutch cocoa flavor. Big can for a quarter.

Next time you make chocolate cake, icing, fudge, etc., substitute Rona for grated or melted chocolate. As it's richer in the chocolate flavor, use a little less of it and thereby greatly improve the product.

The C. A. L. club will meet tonight with Miss Bertha Daum.

Mrs. Robert Kyle entertained informally with a sewing party this afternoon, for the pleasure of her sister, Miss Ruth Jackson, of London, Ohio. The pleasures of the afternoon were concluded with a dainty repast served by the hostess. The guests were Mrs. Alan Simpson, Mrs. Walter Gilliland, Mrs. Guy Thompson, Mrs. Joseph Peebles and Misses Hazel Drew, Elizabeth Watkins, Nell Turley, Marjorie Parsell, Persis Parsell, Gertrude Schmidt, Theresa Kennedy, Mary Anderson, Pauline Wilhelm, Anna Louise Fee, Alice Dever, Leona Labold and Edna Marting.

The Gibbons Literary and Social Club met last evening in St. Mary's hall, with Messrs. Patrick Coll and Dan Flannigan as the committee in charge. The early part of the evening was devoted to euchre, in which Mrs. Bernard Sommer won the first prize, a rose jar, and Mr. Ed. Collins the gentlemen's prize, a box of linen handkerchiefs. After the cards, dancing was enjoyed. The music was furnished by Miss Bourgholtzer and Mr. George Haaf. The society will hold a meeting every week in this month, the meeting next week to be in charge of Mrs. Chris Wagner and Mrs. Bernard Sommer.

Mrs. G. T. Lehman and son, George, will leave tomorrow for Columbus, after a week's visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. August Maier.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Free Baptist church met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. John Henson, at her residence on Timmonds avenue. There were twenty-six present, among them three visitors, Mrs. Sophia Boyles, Mrs. Mary DeArley and Mrs. Will Dodds. Mrs. DeArley was admitted to membership. The society made arrangements yesterday to purchase a new bible for the church pulpit.

A social hour followed the business session, when the hostesses, Mrs. Henson and Mrs. Viola Johnson, served dainty refreshments.

The next meeting will be held in two weeks at the residence of Mrs. Mary Justice, on Franklin avenue, with Mrs. Bertha Hargis as assistant hostess.

Mrs. Freeman Chase's class of the Free Baptist Sunday school met last evening with Miss Maude Kratzer, at her residence on Gallia street. Reports from the officers and committees were heard, after which a social hour was enjoyed, when the hostess served refreshments. The place for the next meeting will be announced later.

Messrs. Harold Rhodes, Douglas Westhope and Orville Roberts were the committee in charge of an enjoyable hop on New Year's evening in the Wilhelmetta hall. Robinson's Saxaphone Trio furnished the music for the dancers, who included Misses Ruth Conger, Mary Tomlinson, Ethel McCall, Helen Sprague, Helen Frantz, Ethel Kirsch, Sadie Kricker, Sova Kricker, Virginia Fairtrace, Alma Gallendar, Page Lewis, Ethel Lakeman, Ruth Phillips, Ruth Kirby, Minnie Hartledge, Leona Griebel, Violet Mathiott; and Messrs. George Corson, Ralph Pool, Charles Beers, Edward Glockner, James Alspaugh, Fred Klingman, Roy Ferguson, Marion Haupt, Russell Egbert, Elvan Boric, L. P. Moore, Oscar Brown, Arnold Anderson, Oscar Anderson, Gilbert Fairtrace, William Dragan, Homer Oakes, Mr. Smith, Purcell Humbert, Elmer Doerr, Roy Leichner, Massie Foley, Stewart Ives, Harry Brandel, Louis Harris, Stanley Hopkins and George Pearce.

Miss Louise Stahler returned to Waverly yesterday, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. David Stahler, of Fourth street.

The Holmes club will meet in deferred session this evening with Miss Irma Neudoerfer, of Third street.

The B. Y. P. U. of the First Baptist church will meet this evening at the church.

Miss Kathryn Wilson of Trinity, Ky., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thompson, at 412 Market street.

Mrs. F. M. Edwards will return to Columbus tomorrow, after a few days' visit with friends in this city.

The general committee on entertainment in the Elk lodge have issued invitations for a dinner and card party on next Thursday evening in the Elk parlors. The dinner will be served at six o'clock.

Mrs. L. D. York and daughters, Mrs. Finis P. Ernest, of East St. Louis, Mrs. Edward Stevens and Mrs. Milton Longfellow have issued invitations for a Kensington on next Thursday afternoon and a card party on next Friday afternoon at the York residence on Rose Ridge.

The Hilltop W. C. T. U. will meet on Monday evening with Misses Sarah and Lucinda Weten, at 1812 Timmonds avenue.

The "Industrial Dames" met yesterday afternoon with Mrs. Millard Poffenberger, at her residence on Fifth street, with five members present, Mesdames Will Beatty, Charles Yeazel, James Naylor, Sam Johnson and David Poffenberger. Needlework was enjoyed by the members and the hostess served refreshments.

The next meeting will be held in two weeks with Mrs. David Poffenberger.

Judge E. H. Dillon arrived yesterday from Columbus, for a brief visit with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. John Dillon, of Campbell avenue, and also to accompany home tomorrow Mrs. Dillon and children, who have been the guests of relatives in this city since last Sunday.

Miss Mary Margaret Fuller, of Fourth street, entertained at dinner last evening Miss Dee Marquette, Mr. Fred Morehead and Mr. McClure Ruhlman.

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$45.00 Coats at.....$22.48
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DRESSES AT HALF PRICE

$10.00 Dresses at.....$ 4.98
$15.00 Dresses at.....$ 7.48
$20.00 Dresses at.....$ 9.98
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All Jewelry in our store at half price. Bracelets, Hat Pins, Bar Pins, Baby Pins, Mesh Bags, Vanity Purses, Barrettes, Back Combs, Beads, Chains, etc., all at

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DELIGHTFUL BANQUET WAS GIVEN BY CLASS

The year 1912 was a leap year and the ladies had all the chances in the world to make a "showing," but it took the young men of Mr. John T. Breece's Sunday school class at Trinity church to take the reins in their hands and show what could be done in the way of entertaining their lady friends.

For several days the members of Mr. Bruce's class have been acting mysteriously and those who had received invitations to the banquet were becoming as excited over the event as the young men, and they were not disappointed when they entered the banquet hall Thursday night.

The annual banquet of the men in Mr. Breece's class in honor of their wives and young lady friends is always a special event in Trinity church socials, but this year the men seemed to take delight in surpassing anything they have yet given.

The dining room presented a veritable fairyland picture—or better still—Santa Claus' home. Garlands of green and red were used in profusion and in three corners of the room were large Christmas trees ablaze with colored electric lights. From the ceiling and the electroliers were festooned the southern smilax, which always makes a beautiful decoration.

One hundred and fifty guests were seated at the five tables in the banquet hall. Messrs. Charles Anderson and Charles Donaldson were in charge of the decorations and they received compliments from every guest present. Others on the arrangements committee were Walter Baker, Frank Beehler and George Breece.

Among the guests of the occasion were Dr. and Mrs. Herbert Scott, the teachers and officers of the Men's Bible class.

At 8 o'clock the guests were invited into the dining room where the members of Division I of the Women's Home Missionary society served an elegant supper. President Alfred Stewart acted as toastmaster and made a most desirable one. He first called upon the teacher, John T. Breece, who gave a short talk to his class and their friends. Others who were called upon were J. H. Finney, who responded to the toast, "Jonah;" Prof. Frank Appel, on "Timothy;" Harry Porter, on "Ruth;" Gilbert Mickiethwaite, "John," and Dr. Scott, on "Acts."

After the serving of the banquet the guests were entertained by music and reading by Messrs. Hood, Pake, Harry Porter and Homer White.

The officers of the class are: Alfred Stewart, president; Ralph Loft, vice president; Arthur Stewart, secretary; Everett Wykoff, treasurer; George Breece, librarian.

FREE

At the Railroad Cafe, 921 Chillicothe street, with each drink chili con carne. I hold the premium of Ohio for making chili. It is really made from the Mexican pepper and powder. No fake. Try a bowl.

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R. H. Cook has rented a room on Sixth street below Gay and in two weeks will open a painting shop and a wallpaper establishment.

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Traveling Men Handed Roast As Easy Marks

Chicago, Jan. 3—"Traveling men are boobs," said Joshua H. Hobbs, in speaking at the convention of the National Association of Traveling Men, which is being held at the Hotel LaSalle. Hobbs, who comes from Massachusetts, said traveling men were not to be trusted with their money. "We are the biggest suckers, the easiest hold-up victims in the world," he added. "We are continually robbed by hotels, railroads and transfer companies and in addition we fall for the tipping system. We don't have enough sense to stop. We are big boobs."

Is Moving To New Boston

Norton Cunningham is moving from Sciotoville to New Boston, where he will open a boarding house and pool room in the Rudy Keuntz building on Gallia street. He has been engaged in the same business in Sciotoville for some months.

Humane Man After Family

Humane Officer Harry Ball was called to the vicinity of Third and Market streets Thursday to investigate a case of alleged neglect of a cow.

Selling Shoes.

Oscar F. Adams left Thursday for Williamson in the interests of the Selby Shoe Company.

INSTALLED OFFICERS LAST NIGHT

The new officers of Portsmouth Council, No. 38, Jr. O. U. A. M., assumed their new duties Thursday night, following their formal installation conducted under the supervision of W. D. Boyles. Those installed were:

Junior Past Councillor — John Warneke.
Councillor — Frank Schmitt.
Vice Councillor — Chas. Campbell.
Recording Secretary — Brooks Grouninger.
Assistant Recording Secretary — Peter Quickel.
Financial Secretary — J. T. Holstetter.
Treasurer — Henry Ryon.
Conductor — C. M. Fligor.
Warden — Delbert Campbell.
Inside Sentinel — J. L. Quickel.
Trustees — Emil Arthurs, Irvin Bowser and John Quickel.
Chaplain — Virgil Jones.

Norfolk & Western Railway.

Effective Sunday, January 5th, sleeping car line between Columbus, O., and Bluefield, W. Va., operated eastbound on trains Nos. 32 and 4 and westbound on trains Nos. 33 and 3, will be discontinued, and commencing same date, new sleeping car line will be operated between Bluefield, W. Va., and Charleston, W. Va., via Kenova and C. & O. Ry., in N. & W. trains 3 and 4 between Bluefield and Kenova. adv—1-5t

New Sun Show Is Big Hit

Capacity houses greeted Arthur Harris and his clever company at the New Sun theatre Thursday matinee and night, when this splendid organization presented Mr. Harris' great comedy, "No Man's Isle." The offering is a distinct departure from the accepted run of vaudeville attractions, not only being more pretensive in scenery, novelty, music and the number of people employed, but boasts of a superior cast of competent players and a chorus of pretty girls that can sing and dance. The songs are all new and catchy. The comedians kept the audience in a continual roar of laughter. The musical and chorus numbers were heartily applauded, including the final number, "Of the Good Old U. S. A." Good pictures concluded this splendid bill.

Given Lodging.

George Fay, Ed. Duvall and James Rueter, claiming Louisville, Ky., as their home city, were given lodging at the city prison Wednesday night. The men claimed that they went to West Virginia under promises of jobs, only to find a big strike on in the coal mines, and rather than take chances on their lives, were "beating" their way back home.

Back At Work.

Homer Brunton has returned to his work in Trainmaster Turley's office in East Portsmouth after a two week's vacation. His place was filled by John Folsom, who returns to the N. & W. freight office.

Delivery Wagon.

David Tipton has purchased a horse and express wagon and will now install a delivery service for his Biggs House grocery. Dave has been doing a thriving business ever since opening the store.

Position As Stenographer.

Miss Edna Holcomb has taken a position as stenographer for Attorneys A. T. Holcomb, Edgar Millar and Robert C. Myers, in the Turley building.

Irving Blackburn, a merchant of Decatur, Brown county, was a visitor here Thursday. He is a cousin of Floyd Unger, of the firm of Haas & Unger.

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REAL WEATHER DOPE

"How's this for good weather goods?" said Herb Coriell, the real weather man, this morning. "Ever in all your days see anything quite so fine, and right up next to mid-winter. Didn't I tell you this would be the finest winter since Katoschea fell into the kraut barrel. Well, it's here, and I notice all these cold weather dopesters, like Tom, Billy, Squire Stewart and the rest who were predicting all sorts of dire things and a freeze-up clear down to the south pole, have all taken to the woods. They can't get by with that fake stuff, with the sun shining like it is now. How's that? When's the cold wave coming? Oh, shucks! It's not coming. Maybe a little cool later on, but quit worrying and keep your ears attuned for the blue birds and spring. She'll soon be here now."

Enthusiasm At The Kendall Ave. Service

Great enthusiasm was shown in the services held at the Kendall Avenue Baptist church last night in honor of the dedicatory week, which closes Sunday with an interesting program.

The auditorium was crowded with interested church members and Sunday school workers, all anxious to hear W. A. Holmes, of Granville, who is a prominent state Sunday school worker in the Baptist association. Mr. Holmes took for his subject "The Modern Sunday School." He outlined the work to be done in the modern and successful Sunday school and gave many practical suggestions for the workers in the Kendall Avenue Sunday school, which is rapidly growing.

Dr. O. H. Wright, of Fredericktown, brother-in-law of Rev. F. A. Maier, pastor of Kendall Avenue church, gave a short address, which was much enjoyed.

The music, under the leadership of Thurman Sowers, was one of the enjoyable parts of the evening service.

Tonight the program will be an old-fashioned experience meeting, led by Mr. Thurman Sowers.

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No. 3 Daily (fast)..3:40 a. m.
No. 33 Daily ..... 7:25 a m.
No. 15 Daily ..... 3:35 p. m.

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No. 23 Daily (fast) ... 4:00 a m.
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STEEL CO'S OFFICES ARE TO COME TO NEW BANK BUILDING

It was officially announced Friday that the Portsmouth Steel Company had leased the entire seventh floor and a goodly portion of the sixth floor of the new First National Bank building for a term of years and will move all of its local offices to that structure.

The offices to be moved will be all of those at present quartered in the company's office building at the plant from General Manager Andrew Glass down to the general superintendent, including the sales, order, invoice, credit, traffic, cost and purchasing departments and numbering in all fully 60 clerks and quite a number of stenographers.

General Superintendent McFarland and the various office departments under his charge will remain at the mill and take the offices vacated by the above departments. The switch to the bank building is made by the company because its officials feel that it will mean less expense and better efficiency. The move is a permanent one, and means the probable abandonment of plans for erecting a new and modern office building at the plant. Reports had it that the company's general offices, located at Wheeling, W. Va., were coming to Portsmouth. The report though is a mistake, and the general offices will remain at Wheeling. It is hoped they will also come here in the future.

The local offices will be moved to the bank building just as soon as the offices can be gotten in shape. The steel company's move is expected to result in a rush for such other offices as are still available in the bank building. All of the rooms are equipped with every possible convenience, and the building should not be long in filling up. The N. & W. railway, with Bannon & Bannon, occupy the entire top, or eighth floor, of the building.

The board of trade expects to begin its campaign for raising $30,000 to provide the steel company with a site for a finishing plant about February 1. The company has agreed to build such a plant to employ at least 300 men, mostly skilled mechanics, or surrender its option at the end of three years. The proposed plant is to be built to the west of the big mill on land owned by the Peebles Realty Company.

OBITUARY

Nolan.

Life's curtain dropped on a long and useful career in the sudden death Thursday of James J. Nolan, aged 64 years, who passed away at the home of his son, Joseph Nolan, a well known plumber, of Market street.

The end came peacefully five minutes after Rev. Father J. E. McGuirk had administered the last rites of the Catholic church, of which Mr. Nolan was a devout and lifelong member. He had been ill with pneumonia but two days, although his health had been poor for the past five years.

Mr. Nolan had been a resident of Portsmouth for the past ten years, coming here from Vanceburg, Ky. During the Democratic administration he was employed as a city laborer, but ill health in recent years incapacitated him for work. He was born in Kildare county, Ireland, and came to this country at the age of 18 years and settled in Lewis county, Ky., where for many years he was superintendent of various stone quarries. While visiting relatives in Chicago over ten years ago, he had the misfortune to fall from a street car, injuring his head, and never after fully recovered from the effects of the accident. Despite his infirmities, he always remained a conscientious and industrious worker. His wife died 20 years ago, and he is survived by two sons and one daughter: Joseph, employed with Frank Burt; John, employed at the Selby shoe factory, and Miss Mary Nolan, stenographer, with the Bradt Shoe Company. Edward and Patrick Ford, well known contractors, were his nephews. He and John B. Lewis, an insurance agent, had been warm friends for the past 46 years. Mr. Nolan was a staunch Democrat from the day he landed in America.

The funeral will take place from Holy Redeemer church Saturday morning at 9 o'clock, sun time. Burial in Greenlawn cemetery.

Mrs. Ed Cochran

Mrs. Ed Cochran died early last Thursday morning at her home in Peebles, after a long illness of tuberculosis.

The deceased was 36 years of age, and her legion of friends mourn over her demise. She is survived by her husband, two children, father and brother.

A brief funeral service was held Friday afternoon from her late home by Rev. James Best. Early last Saturday her remains, accompanied by her husband and Undertaker John R. Thomas, were taken to Lockland and interred beside her mother and sister in the village cemetery.

Mrs. Cochran's maiden name was Jessie Reid, and she was reared in Portsmouth, the family residing on East Second street, near Gay, for a number of years.

Clarence Benner.

Chronic malaria caused the death of Clarence Benner at his home, corner of Grandview avenue and Twenteth street, about 5 o'clock Thursday afternoon, at the age of 40 years. Mr. Benner was a well-known car repairer, employed at the N. & W. terminals. He came to this city nine years ago from Galatea, Ill. Besides his wife, Mrs. Minerva Benner, he is survived by four children: Edna, Lucile, Aileen and Clarence Vernon, and two brothers: Clinton Benner, a farmer, of Galatin, Ill., and Frank, of Alton, Ill. Mr. Benner was also a member of the car repairers' union and the Maccabees and a faithful member of the United Brethren church.

Funeral services will probably be held at the Long Run U. B. church, with Rev. Hart, of this city, in charge.

Miss Clara Martin

Mr. Elmer Martin, of 1647 Highland avenue, received a telegram on Thursday telling of the death of a relative, Miss Clara Martin, who passed away at her home at Hanging Rock Wednesday evening. Of her death the Ironton Register of Thursday said:

"Death came more as a relief than a curse to Miss Clara Cameron of Hanging Rock, at a late hour Wednesday evening, death being due to quick consumption.

"The patient sufferer, when but a young girl, was afflicted with blindness and for nineteen years was totally blind. At an early age the young lady lost her parents and from then on resided with her grandmother, Mrs. Cameron, residing in the East End of Hanging Rock. About two months previous to her death she was afflicted with tuberculosis and death resulted. The young lady bore her suffering patiently and never complained.

"The funeral arrangements have not been made as yet, but interment will be at Hanging Rock."

Chalite Kennedy.

Chalite Kennedy, one-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Kennedy, of Rhodes avenue, New Boston, died Thursday evening after a brief illness with lung fever. The death of their loved one has almost prostrated Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy with grief. The funeral services will be held Saturday morning and burial will be made in Greenlawn.

Dorothy May Eastwood.

Dorothy May, the 6-months-old baby daughter of Elmer Eastwood, a shoe cutter at the lower Irving Drew factory, and wife, died at the home of his mother, Mrs. Richard Eastwood, of No. 413 Second street, Thursday evening. The child had been ill but two days with pneumonia. The body has been removed to the home of the child's grandmother, Mrs. J. Smith, of 1011 Washington street. The funeral will take place Saturday afternoon. Rev. Crayton S. Brooks of the First Christian church will conduct the services. Burial in Greenlawn cemetery.

Mrs. Cynthia James.

Had she lived until Saturday, January 11, Mrs. Cynthia James, grandmother of Mrs. John Byron, of this city, and Dr. J. F. Gibson, of Otway, and aunt of Judge Dow James, of this city, she would have been ten years of age. Mrs. James died at the home of her son, Parker James, near Otway, Thursday night. She died as she had lived, peacefully and quietly and without an enemy in the world.

Mrs. James was formerly Cynthia Shockley, and was born near Beaver, Pike county, where her remains will be taken for burial next Monday afternoon. She was a remarkable woman in many respects. Although having passed the allotted age of the ordinary woman, she retained until her death her always bright and active mind.

Mrs. James was the mother of eleven children, four of whom are living, as follows: Mrs. C. M. Gordon, of Beaver, Mrs. Henry Rader, of Circleville, Parker James, of Circleville, and Mrs. R. P. Thomson, of Washington C. H.

Mrs. James' death was particularly sad, as her relatives had planned to have a large family reunion on the hundredth anniversary of her birth, January 11.

Mrs. John Byron and Dr. Gordon will leave next Monday for Waverly, where they will meet the body and accompany the remains to Beaver chapel for burial. Rev. J. W. Dillon, of this city, will accompany the local relatives and conduct the funeral services.

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SOCIAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Winter, of Ninth street, are spending a few days in Cincinnati.

James Williams will return to Cornell University, Saturday, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John E. Williams.

Mr. D. L. Williams, of Fourth street, is spending a few days in Martinsville, Ind.

Miss Louise Crawford returned to her home in Ironton yesterday, after a few days' visit with Miss Nell Turley, of Second street.

Miss Nell Turley will return to the Laurel School for Girls in Cleveland next Monday, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Turley.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Adams' baby daughter, Elizabeth, is slowly improving after a week's illness with pneumonia.

Graves Williams will return to University school in Cleveland tomorrow to resume his studies, after spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grant Williams.

Under teh auspices of the Woman's Relief Corps, Mlle. Sofia Stephali, a vocalist of international repute, assisted by Miss Berenicea Lathrop, pianiste, will give a series of three lecture concerts on the evening of January 20, and the afternoon and evening of the 21st, n the First Presbyterian church. The lectures will be given by Mlle. Stephali, the possessor of a charming and forceful personality, who has won for herself a place among leading vocalists of Europe and America. Following are excerpts from several press notices:

"Stephali possesses a voice of wide range and exquisite quality."—Chicago Record-Herald.

"She possesses a rich mezzo-soprano voice of wonderful power and quality."—Chicago Inter Ocean.

"Music Hall was crowded by a cultured audience whose generous applause voiced their appreciation of Stephali, the mistress of vocal technique."—Scotsman, Edinburgh.

Mrs. Orpha Hark and Mrs. D. E. Gardner are planning to go to Richmond, Va., on the 13th to see Mrs. Hark's daughter, Mrs. Harry St. Clair Young (Norma Hark), who will be in that city with the "Everywoman" company during the week of the 13th.

Mrs. Charles Hard entertained the Sewing club, of which she is a member, this afternoon at her residence on Ninth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa Dawson and children have returned to Pittsburg, Pa., after spending the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Lawson of Second street.

The Woman's Foreign Missionary society of Trinity church will meet on next Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. M. Stockham, at her residence on Offnere street.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stockham and Mr. and Mrs. Milton Brown will leave next Thursday morning on their way to Florida. They will visit in Tampa and Jacksonville. Mr. Stockham will return to Portsmouth in six weeks and the remainder of the party will spend two months in the South.

The Woman's Home Misisonary society of Bigelow church held a large and interesting meeting on New Year's day, at the residence of Mrs. D. E. Holbrook, with Mesdames Cunningham, Heid, Kugleman, Lakeman, A. S. Duduit, Anna Baker, Ella Yeager, Carrie Heid and W. H. Doerr as assistant hostesses. The program consisted of the following numbers:

Song—Marie Becker, Hortense Ball and Ruth Fitch.

Talk, "History of Mormons"—Mrs. Arthur Willey.

Recitation—Miss Brock.

Song—Mission Band of Bigelow.

Rev. Alfred Hughes was present at the meeting and gave an interesting talk on Missions.

There were thirty members, seven visitors and seventeen members of the Mission Band present. During the social hour refreshments of cream and cake were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Poffenberger entertained with a turkey dinner this evening at their residence on Union street, in honor of Miss Theresa Kennedy, who is home from the O. S. U. to spend the holidays. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Wade Kennedy, Mrs. West, Miss Kerns, Miss Irene McGregor, Mr. Frank Kennedy and Miss Mary McGregor.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Wright, of Fredericktown, who have been the guests of their brother-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. P. A. Maier, of the Kendall Avenue Baptist church, have returned home.

Miss Mary Gibler, who has been the guest of Rev. and Mrs. E. G. Hamilton, has returned to her home in Macon.

Mrs. James O'Roark, of Fullerton, was a guest yesterday and today of the family of Rev. B. D. Morris, on the North Side.

Mr. Charles Pietch, who is engaged in business in East Liverpool, is in the city to spend two or three days with Mr. and Mrs. Si Straus.

The teachers and officers of the German Evangelical church were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Hazelbeck, New Year's night, in social and business session. Mrs. Hazelbeck served a dainty repast after the business session was held. The new officers of the school are: W. C. Hazelbeck, superintendent; Louis Moritz, assistant superintendent; Miss Emma Havener, secretary; Miss Emma Holtz, treasurer; Mrs. Mary Severs, corresponding secretary. The Gleaners and the Young Men's Bible class are engaged in a contest which will end in six weeks.

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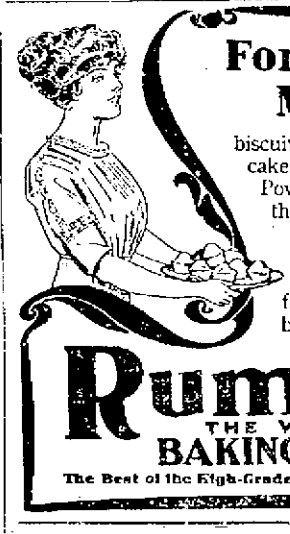
WILL NOT BLISTER

Big Show At The Star Theatre Tonight

The Star theatre under its new management is securing some of the best feature films on the market, and one will be produced tonight that every one should see. It is a three-reel Indian and military picture entitled "The Invaders."

It shows a realistic fight between the Indians and the militia and great heroism on the part of the soldiers.

Coming all the way from Mt. Joy, Ollie Hoop and Miss Josephine Huckworth were married Friday by Squire John W. Byron. The couple returned to their home on teh afternoon train.



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TAKES HIS SONS INTO FIRM

Val Roth, prominent contracting painter, has announced that his two sons, Phil and Julius Roth, have been taken into his concern and that the firm name will hereafter be known as Val Roth & Sons.

Mr. Roth has been engaged in the painter's business in this city for the past thirty years. He is an honest workman, being regarded as very skillful and is always willing to guarantee his work. His two sons have grown up with him in the business and both have become experts. The firm will no doubt continue to meet with prosperity.

Violated Quarantine

Complaint was made to the police Thursday night that James Johnson and family, of No. 2307 Eighth street, were violating the quarantine laws by allowing a child to run in and out of the house. The family promised to obey the regulations in the future.

Louis C. Peel has returned from Maysville, Ky., where he conducted a big auction sale.

Clam or oyster stew at the Washington hotel buffet every Saturday night. 31-6

Steinkamp's

CLEAN-UP

of Odd Pieces of Furniture and Heating Stoves

We begin taking our annual inventory next week, and have several pieces of furniture and some stoves we want to dispose of. We are putting prices on them that we know will move them. We can quote you only a few in this ad, but invite you to come to our store if you want bargains.

GAS HEATERS

Portsmouth made "the kind without a headache." $5.75 and up.
Open Heaters, all sizes, $1.75 and up.

OAK DRESSERS

All Oak, Golden Oak finish, open standards, $7.00. Worth $10.50.
Other Dressers up to $48.00.

IRON BEDS

If you will need a bed in the next three months buy now and save a nice sum. We offer you a bed with a brass top rail, large posts, sold elsewhere for $4.50, while our present stock lasts only $3.25.

DINERS

A fine, quartered Oak Chair, nicely polished, genuine leather seat, the best chair we ever had for $2.50, we offer to you now for only $1.75.

Good Resolutions For 1913

RESOLVED, That in 1913 you will get anything and everything you need for the home, in household goods, at Steinkamp's.

RESOLVED, That when any of your friends intend to start housekeeping, to advise them to go to Steinkamp's because you know they surely will be pleased with the liberal treatment they will receive.

RESOLVED, That for superior quality, select variety, latest style, big stock, durable workmanship, good taste and lowest possible price, for home outfittings, to go to Steinkamp's.

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BURCHAM FOUND GUILTY, IS FINED

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 3—After one of the longest and most hotly contested trials held in police court here for years, Rufus Burcham, an ex-convict, was found guilty by Judge Null of carrying concealed weapons, and was fined $25 and held to await action of the county grand jury. Attorney John W. Perry, who appeared for the defense, stated that he would appeal the case.

Burcham was pardoned from the Ohio penitentiary one year ago, where he was serving a life sentence for a murder committed in Portsmouth, Ohio.

Burcham, it was charged, had a revolver in his possession when he entered a home on lower Third avenue several weeks ago, at which time he was arrested on a charge of disturbing the peace.

Not a single witness who has been on the stand in this case has testified that he saw a gun in the possession of Burcham," exclaimed Mr. Perry. "Not a jury on earth would convict a man on such evidence."

In announcing his verdict Judge Null said that he found it hard to decide the case against Burcham, but that there was such a preponderence of evidence against the prisoner, from unbiased witnesses, that he could not do otherwise than render a verdict of guilty. Judge Null found it doubly hard to render his verdict, he said, because of the fact that years ago he and Burcham were schoolmates.

"The man has always had all sorts of obstacles to contend with," said Null. "I can remember the time when as a boy Burcham would go on the river in mid-winter, when it was covered with ice, barefooted, and with a mallet, kill fish for the family to eat.

Under the pistol toting law in West Virginia, if Burcham is indicted and found guilty, he will get at least six months in jail.

SWEETHEART OF EDWARDS IS MARRIED

Richmond, Va., Jan. 3.—Twenty years was too long for Miss Maud Iroler, the fiancee of Wesley Edwards, to wait for him to serve his sentence for participation in the Hillsville court house tragedy. On Thursday night, according to a report from Dobson, N. C., she was married to Kenneth Marsh, of White Plains, N. C., the marriage being solemnized at the home of John F. Nance.

Miss Iroler came into prominence when detectives followed her to Des Moines, Iowa, whither she went to join Edwards, who was then a fugitive from justice. The girl either willingly or unwillingly led the detectives to where Sidna Allen and Edwards both were and they were arrested. It was hinted that the girl was in the pay of detectives all the time, but this was denied and remains a mooted question.

THE DOUBTFUL DANCES WILL NOT BE DANCED BY LADIES SAYS GALLIPOLIS EDITOR

In the Gallipolis Daily Tribune, Editor Sibley comments upon Huntington dancers in this way:

"'What shall we dance?' says the jesting Huntington Herald-Dispatch, and stays to answer. A recent exhibition of the turkey trot, the bunny hug, and other bizarre innovations introduced on dancing floors, has set our sister city all agog, and enough hot air has escaped because of it to float a biplane. Our esteemed contemporary does not believe indulgence in any of these new figures detracts from any lady or gentleman one whit of their character as such, but finally enlists on the side of society as against the turkey trot.

"There are many difinitions of the word gentleman. A gentleman may swear, gamble and drink, and still remain a gentleman, so far as the dictionary is concerned. But the restrictions on the meaning of the word lady are more numerous and severe. A lady, in the best meaning of the word, never does anything in society or in public, which makes her conspicuous—that is, a show—and instinctively avoids doing things which may make her an object of gossip, or notorious. We think there is no avoiding the truth of this statement.

"Now then, can a lady so conduct herself at a public ball as to excite bitter criticism, and not rub off a little of the polish of her ladyhood? Not, we take it, until society has formally approved and adopted a new dance figure of doubtful propriety, will any lady to the manor born, indulge in it in a mixed company. Personally we have never gone up against any of these new dances, and we shall not condemn them until we do. We write this just before going to a Leap-Year ball. We do not know what the ladies will do to us there, but if it's the turkey trot or the bunny hug, as a guest we'll just have to submit, that's all."

A. I. U. MET IN NEW HALL

Members of the American Insurance Union for the first time Thursday night enjoyed the environments of the Ben Hur hall, which has been leased by the order for meeting purposes during the current year. Strikingly characteristic of the increased interest which has been taken in the order, there was an unusually large attendance Thursday night. Organizer Sidney Bush presented the order with a pair of gavels and a cabinet in which to keep all the insignia of the order.

Miss Laura Waller was presented with a book as a token of her regular attendance at drill team practice. She has been present every night since the team was organized. It is a splendid record, and one of which she may well be proud.

Tuesday night the Sons of Veterans will install their officers and as a result there will be no drill practice. Members of the A. I. U. drill team are officers in the S. of V. On next Thursday night the A. I. U. initiates a large class of candidates.

New Officers Of The Carpenters Union

President — Victor Howland.
Vice President — Jack Lewis.
Treasurer — Charles Turner.
Financial Secretary — Charles Evans.
Recording Secretary — Charles Morris.
Conductor — M. Ogden.
Warden — Charles James.
Trustees — Samuel McLaughlin and Benjamin Cross.

These newly elected officers were installed Thursday night with fitting ceremonies by Carpenters' Union, No. 437. James Pfeifer was the installing officer and the attendance was very gratifying. A smoker was enjoyed after the installation and the announcement was made that on next Thursday, January 9, an oyster supper would be given, to which the members' families will be invited.

New Odd Fellows.

Two candidates, George Clifford and William Mank, were initiated into the Portsmouth Lodge, I. O. O. F., New Year's night. At the next regular meeting the annual installation of officers will take place.

DICKEY STARTS NEW YEAR RIGHT

O. H. Dickey, local agent for the Toledo Computing Scales Company, started the new year right. He sold one of his firm's new parcels post scales to the Excelsior and one to the Selby Shoe Company.

They will prove a great time-saver in the shipment of small packages. The rates of the various shipping zones are recorded almost instantaneously by the scales, and Mr. Dickey hopes to place them in every manufacturing plant in the city, and in all the wholesale houses. It is a great contrivance, and has been adopted by Uncle Sam, a hundred of the machines being placed in the various department buildings in Washington.

Wants To Join Union

Reese Robinson's colored orchestra has made application for admission into the local musicians' union. The application will be acted upon at the next meeting of the local. The orchestra has filled a number of engagements satisfactorily this fall and winter, and once it becomes a union organization, expects to meet with continued success.

RUNAWAY VICTIM IN BAD SHAPE

Joe Davis, the South Portsmouth grocer, who was injured Tuesday when he was dumped over an embankment with the outfit he was driving, took a turn for the worse Thursday night and Friday his condition was regarded as extremely serious. It developed that Mr. Davis was more badly hurt than at first thought, it being feared he was internally injured.

MRS. WALSH IN THE CITY

Mrs. E. K. Walsh, who prior to her marriage was Miss Kate Lehman, will arrive in Portsmouth Saturday or Sunday from the South. She is coming to again make her home in Portsmouth, and it is understood she will later on accept a splendid position here. For several years Mrs. Walsh has been located in Mobile, Ala.

Dr. P. S. Landsdale, of the B. & O. S.-W. relief department, was here from Chillicothe on official business Thursday.

Some Growing Children

are under size—under weight. Some grow tall and thin, others are backward in studies—pale and frail—*improper assimilation is usually the cause.*

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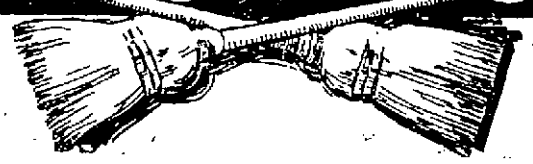

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MEN'S 25c KNIT TIES, 10c
These come in all colors and the biggest value ever shown. Think of it, men's fine knit Ties, in all shades and plain colors; a 25c Tie going at.....10c

MENIS 10c KERCHIEFS 3½c
A large size, fast colored, hemmed handkerchief. Cotton is going up, but as usual our price goes down. We have 500 dozen of these 10c Kerchiefs, at 3½c

MEN'S 50c DRESS SHIRTS, 40c
Big men will be only interested in these as the sizes run from 16 to 19½. Very few smaller sizes. These will go quick; 50c Shirts 40c

CONES BOSS $1 OVERALLS, 39c
Union made, gray striped Overalls, with or without bib. This is some bargain. $1 Cones Boss Union Jean Overalls..... 39c

GIRL'S WOOL HOODS, 29c
Hand made wool Hoods and Aviation Caps for girls. Chinchilla pull overs for children; worth 50c to $1. Go on sale at..29c

MEN'S 50c UNDERWEAR, 34c
Men's heavy military, fleece lined Underwear. A big snap you should grab quick. 50c Men's Underwear. 34c

MEN'S 25c CASHMERE HOSE, 14c.
Men's fine wool Hose that we can't get from the mill at this price, right now. This is some snap, 25c wool Hose 14c

LADIES' 10c HEMSTITCHED KERCHIEF, 3c
This is a nice plain, white hemstitched Kerchief. We have just 100 dozen of them, and as long as they last these 10c Kerchiefs are.... 3c

MEN'S EXTRA HEAVY 35c YARN SOX, 19c.
Just the thing for the severe weather yet to come; a real heavy wool sock, in red, brown and gray colors. These 35c socks are going at 19c

BOYS' 25c WINTER CAPS, 7c.
Boys' Eton Caps in corduroy, velvet and cassimere, with inside pull down bands. These 25c Caps go at 7c

CHILD'S 15c WOOL HOSE, 5c
Of course, some stores get 25c for this style Hose, but we placed a 15c value on them and during this sale they will go out to you at 5c

MEN'S AND BOYS' 75c SHIRTS, 10c
Stiff bosom, white Shirts for men and boys at less than the cost of the muslin; but let 'em go. These 75c Shirts at only 10c

MEN'S PLAIN WHITE 10c KERCHIEFS, 2½c.
A fine white hemstitched Handkerchief at about the price of washing them. A live snap these 10c Handkerchiefs at 2½c

BOYS' RIBBED FLEECED UNION SUITS, 89c.
A well made 50c garment for boys, made out of fine combed yarn. These go at 89c

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$16 MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS, $6.85
This is a big lot of fine Suits and Overcoats. All weaves, latest styles, and the price only.. $6.85

$20 MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS, $9.85
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$25 MEN'S SUITS AND OVERCOATS, $11.75
Wonderful values in Suits and Overcoats at this price. All the very newest things; $25 Suits and Overcoats $11.75

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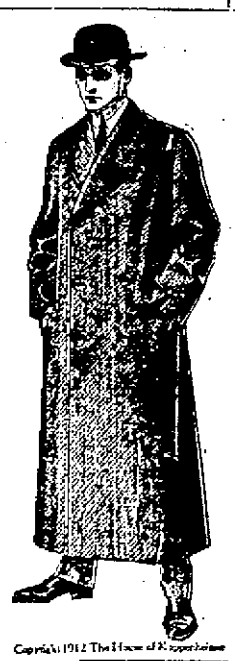
$20 Garments $10.	$25 Ones $12.50.	$30 Kinds $15.

MEN'S $3 PANTS, $1.95
Included in this lot are Dauntless, Union-made Trousers; Em Eff guaranteed Pants. These $3 Pants are going at..... $1.95

BOYS' $3 SUITS, $1.95
Boys' Knicker Suits at $1.95, that could easily be sold at $3. Fancy and plain colors. All ages, 7 to 16.



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Dauntless New York made pants, with the fabric all fine wool cloths. Neat patterns. Only $2.45 for these $3.50 pants.

MEN'S $2 HATS, 95c
We took a big lot of high grade Hats and cut them to 95c. See these $2 Hats. An entire window reserved for them, all going at 95c

MEN'S $2.50 HATS, $1.45
All the new flat beavers; also French beavers; all marked down to $1.45. More than a hundred styles at this price. $3 Hats..... $1.45

MEN'S $3 HATS, $1.85
Finest Fur Hats in the newest styles. All marked $1.85

BOYS' $5 NORFOLK SUITS, $3.45
Boys' Suits, either in double breasted or Norfolk style. All wool clothes; $5 kinds go at $3.45

MEN'S $3 SHOES, $1.95
Men's $3 dress Shoes, in gun metal button and lace. All guaranteed solid leather $1.95

MEN'S $3.50 SHOES, $2.49
Men's Shoes, blucher and button, in gun metal; tale toes. $3.50 Shoes $2.49

MEN'S $4 SHOES, $2.98
Men's Goodyear welts, gun metals, box calf and kid; tale toes. $4 Shoes $2.98

MEN'S $5 SHOES, $3.98
Excelsior made $5 Shoes, in nifty toes and lasts. All leathers and styles. Go to $3.98

Ladies', Misses' and Children's Shoes at proportionately low prices.

Men's $1.50 Artics 98c

Ladies' 75c Storm Rubbers 48c

A BIG LOT OF WOMEN'S AND MISSES' $2.00 AND $3.00 SHOES MARKED $1.00 FOR QUICK CLEARANCE.

Bring this with you. Check the items you want. Loads of things on sale not mentioned here.

See that the number, 220, is right above the door before you enter.

The Salvage

PORTSMOUTH, OHIO.

REMEMBER

The date of the opening, Saturday, January 4, 1913. Be there.

EVENING TIMES SPORTS

LUTHER M'CARTY HAS RISEN JUST LIKE JOHN L. SULLIVAN

(By OTTO FLOTO.)

Just after Paddy Ryan had defeated Joe Goss, for the heavyweight championship of the world there came rumors of a coming champion from Boston. Not much attention was paid to them at first, but after the "Roxbury Strong Boy" had defeated everything in the fighting line the Hub boasted of, he began to look for "higher ups" and found one in the same Joe Goss, who had just lost to Ryan. A match was arranged and the youngster knocked the veteran over the footlights in short order. Then folks began to look up and take notice. John L. Sullivan was the kid that was creating all this havoc.

He was taken to New York and at Harry Hill's old concert hall in Houston street he met Steve Taylor, one of the best fighters of his day defeating him. Then came the battle at Jones' Woods with Jimmy Elliott, and again the "Roxbury Strong Boy" delivered the goods. From that time on his rise was rapid, every effort was crowned with victory until he met Jim Corbett at New Orleans in 1892.

The other night at Los Angeles another youngster jumped into the spotlight in much the same fashion that John L. Sullivan was given prominence. Luther McCarty has met several good men, including Carl Morris, and defeated them. His fame began to spread, but there was something lacking to give him real standing—that something came to him when he defeated Jim Flynn and beat Palzer Wednesday.

We now wonder whether McCarty will continue to creep to the top as Sullivan did, as Corbett did and as Jim Jeffries did. All had practically the same beginning. Corbett gained his stepping stone when he defeated Sullivan, and Jeffries rose when he downed Fitz at Coney Island.

Of course, McCarty has not gotten as far along in his career or standing as the above men had when they leaped into the coveted throne chair, for, following his defeat of Palzer, there is one man still to be removed. He is Bombardier Wells. Wells is certainly some shucks. I say this knowing that Palzer defeated the Englishman in their New York meeting. However, I am certain Wells labored under a handicap of some sort at that time, and a return engagement between Palzer and Wells would cause no surprise at all if the latter reversed conditions as well as the verdict.

Exhausted Left Fielder Begs His Pitcher To Come To The Rescue By Passing A Batter

Many good stories are told of funny incidents on the major league diamonds, but the real baseball humor is found in the bushes. A Virginia leaguer recently told several stories of happenings in his league.

Newport News was playing in Portsmouth in one of the closing games of the season. Count Castro, who played with the Athletics in 1902, was managing the Pirates, as the Portsmouth team is called. Buck Hooker managed Newport News, and his leading pitcher was Dutch Revelle, a youngster who has had three trials with the Highlanders.

Revelle was pitching for the Newport News team in this game and Hooker was playing left field. Revelle was going good until the fifth inning, when the Pirates fell on him hard. Six consecutive screaming drives were hammered to left field and Hooker pursued every ball furiously. By a terrific burst of speed he managed to keep one of the hits to a double.

However, after he had chased the sixth drive he needed help. He limped to the infield breathing like a truck horse. Between gasps he yelled to Revelle: "Pass a man, Dutch, and give me a chance to get my wind back."

Will Manager Tinker Satisfy Red Fans?

It has become a common saying around baseball stamping grounds that a man who fails at Cincinnati becomes an overwhelming success elsewhere. For example, take the case of Clark Griffith, John Ganzel, Mike Donlin, Orvie Overall, C Seymour, Heinie Steinfeldt and Hans Lobert. Do you care for any more?

The fault is not Herrmann's. The burden rests with the fans. Cincinnati rooters can't stand a winner or a loser. A victor goes to their heads, a loser to their feet.

This is what Joe Tinker has to face. One of the best things Hok ever said was just before Hank O'Day was appointed manager of the Reds last year: "The Cincinnati crowd can scarcely wait to learn the name of the next manager. They are so anxious to start knocking."

Back in 1869 the Cincinnati Red Stockings didn't lose a single game during the whole season. That is the standard the followers of the pastime have evidently set. In one way it's a laudable ambition, but a regular scream in practice.

We wish Joe the best of luck, for he's a grand ball player and a grand fellow. But we fear for him.

THE WAR CRY

(While Longfellow Isn't Looking.)

The Winter league was waning fast
As through the sporting page there passed
A bloke who swore in headlines jet,
"I'm through for good unless I get
Ten thousand!"

His brow was low, his batting eye
Was lurid as a storm-swept sky,
And like a three-base wallop rung
The loud call from his clarion tongue,
"Ten thousand!"

"O stay," the mogul said, "and play
For what I slipped you yesterday."
A tear stood in his whaling lamp,
But still he answered, like a champ,
"Ten thousand!"

A break of spring, as Marlin-ward
The squad swung out for Dixie's award.
Who was the first bloke on the spot
Whose contract read, as like as not,
"Three thousand!"

—Grantland Rice.

BASEBALL

Arthur Irwin, returning from Bermuda, has put his O. K. on that spot as training quarters for the Highlanders when they gather in the spring.

Nine towns are after the Washington Nationals to do their spring training there. Only one has its personal representative on the job. He is Billy Smith, manager of Atlanta. It is not likely that Griffith will give up the idea of training at Charlottesville.

Clam or oyster stew at the Washington hotel buffet every Saturday night. 31-5

CHAMPION McCARTY DRAWS COLOR LINE

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 3.—No fighter whose skin is not white will ever have a chance at the heavyweight title.

This was the first announcement made today by Luther McCarty, following his defeat of Al Palzer of Iowa Wednesday after 17½ rounds of terrific milling. In the middle of the 18th round Referee Eyton stopped the battle to save Palzer from further punishment.

"I will not meet any negro, but will draw the color line absolutely," said McCarty. "I have no intention of burying my title, however, and any fighter who is worthy may have a crack at it. While I am willing to go against any white fighter who is picked for me, I prefer to meet Bombardier Wells in order to clean up any talk that the English may have of supremacy. I will probably meet Wells on July 4. After Willard and Daley fight it out, I will fight the winner."

Says Palzer Is Game.

McCarty then paid a tribute to his defeated foeman.

"Palzer is the gamest boy I have ever met," said he. "He took a good deal more than Jim Flynn did and he didn't flinch once. He can have another chance at me after the other contenders are disposed of."

A person knowing nothing of the result of Wednesday's battle, looking at McCarty and Palzer today, would have no difficulty telling which was the winner. Aside from a slight cut under one eye, McCarty did not show a mark of the encounter, while Palzer was terribly beaten up. Both eyes were puffed almost shut, his nose and face were a bloody mess and one ear was badly cut.

"McCarty was better than I had ever known," said the conquered pugilist. "But I want another chance and I am willing to prove my right to it if necessary."

Want Wells Next.

Billy McCarney, McCarty's manager, and Tom McCarey, who promoted the mill, both said they were endeavoring to arrange a match with Wells here on Independence day. McCarey today cabled the Britisher and expects a favorable reply tomorrow.

Fans who witnessed Wednesday's battle were universally of the opinion that Palzer was outclassed at every stage of the battle.

Despite Palzer's great advantage in reach and in size, his blows seemed to lack punishing power and he was wholly without initiative.

Fans say he would have made a better showing had he cut loose in the beginning from the instructions of his manager, Tom O'Rourke, and gone ahead on his own hook. Throughout the entire battle Palzer looked to O'Rourke to tell him what to do and Tom yelled through a megaphone what tactics to pursue. McCarty merely smiled when he heard these instructions, and he easily anticipated every move of the Iowan. Palzer was game throughout and stood toe to toe and fought courageously when it was apparent he had no chance, but he looked awkward at the side of the cowboy.

McCarty's display of scientific boxing was a complete revelation to the fans. They had expected to see two novices at the fighting game who would turn the affair into a slugging match. Instead, they saw one novice, Palzer, and one cool, calculating, clever boxer. All pronounced McCarty by far the most promising heavyweight in the white division since the days of Jim Jeffries.

In the early stages, when Palzer assumed the aggressive, McCarty had no difficulty in eluding him. Then, after the seventh round, he began a systematic effort to cut his man away.

Uses Same Punch.

His best blows were a straight left—the same punch he used against Jim Flynn—and a wicked right cross. Landing these two blows without difficulty, he kept Palzer shaken up and worried at all stages. In the first six rounds these blows cut Palzer's face to ribbons and closed one eye, smashed his nose and opened his ear. First he would shower a series of straight lefts on Palzer and then come in with a terrific right cross.

In the 16th and 17th rounds the end seemed near, but Palzer continued to fight gamely or to hang on. At the opening of the 18th Palzer rose unsteadily and walked out to meet McCarty.

The latter shot two straight lefts into his face and then landed a terrific right swing. A moment later two more straight lefts made Palzer virtually helpless. McCarty apparently did not want to administer a knockout for he glanced at Referee Eyton and backed away from his man. Eyton stepped forward and raised McCarty's glove.

POOL SHARK SHOWED UP BOB

Charley Brunswicke, representing the firm of Brunswicke-Balke & Co., of Cincinnati, was in the city Thursday. He sold four pool tables to Charley Watson, who will soon re-engage in the saloon business on Second street, near Market.

Mr. Brunswicke is an expert cueist and he dropped into Childs and Hinchman's place yesterday and showed the boys a few tricks with the ivories. He clicked off 80 points on his first shot and followed it up by clicking off 38. He was playing "Bob" Lewis, who had no more use for a cue than Mary Garden has for clothes. Much like the Englishman, who recently sauntered into Hoppe's parlor in New York, only to see Hoppe run the string out on the first shot, "Bobbie" enjoyed the game. He had but one shot, and then was so taken by surprise that he made a miscue.

TALES OF THE DIAMOND
HUMOROUS AND OTHERWISE

BY BILLY EVANS.

Brick Owens, who made such a favorable impression in the National league last year, is the boss of the situation in every game he umpires. During his minor league days he depended on beef and brawn, when his backing from the league president was none too secure. Naturally, in his bush league career he got a reputation for being something of a fighter.

Owens first came into prominence in the American association. His work was so good that it attracted the attention of the major leagues. He was given a chance during Harry Pulliam's regime, and made good. When he went to the majors for a trial, he was told by the president of his league not to sign for less than a certain sum, which he named, and said he was willing to pay. The figure offered by Pulliam was considerably under the price named by the American association. Owens shocked Pulliam, and gained much prominence by the answer he gave to the National league offer:

"You can't live in the winter on big league fame. I would rather work for a major league salary in the bushes, than get a minor league figure in the big show."

Hans Wagner, the famous shortstop of the Pittsburg team, although bested in the clash, always tells with a laugh of his first run-in with Owens. A play came up at second base on a steal, Wagner being firmly convinced that the runner was out, while Owens thought just the opposite.

"So, you're the star of the minors," said Wagner. "If that is a sample of your brand, that is where you belong."

"Well, if you're a major league star," answered Owens, "I'm Halley's comet."

"I guess you hate yourself," replied Wagner.

"I'm going to make you like me," replied Owens.

That ended the argument, and today Wagner will tell you that Mr. Owens is quite some umpire.

HOW JIMMY ARCHER GOT HIS REAL START.

In 1905 Otto Jordan had charge of the Atlanta club. He brought along a young stabman named Lew Moren, who later on toiled with the Phillies. "If I had a good catcher," remarked Jordan one day, "I'd be fairly well fixed."

"I've got a pal," countered Moren, "who is worth a gamble. Give him a chance and believe he'll stick."

Three days later a youngster named Archer arrived. Jordan saw him make one peg to second and rushed back of the stand to give three cheers. That night he released the rest of his catching staff, and base running in the Southern circuit fell off 38 per cent. Neither Pittsburg nor Detroit could see him as a catcher, but it took him one year in Chicago to make them forget Kling. James is still said to be able to push them down to second without the aid of a caddie or other accomplices.

WHAT THE PRINCIPALS SAID

BY REFEREE EYTON.

"I stopped the fight because Palzer was absolutely helpless," Eyton explained. "I did not propose to see the big fellow subjected to useless punishment. Palzer is all heart, but he had no chance with McCarty."

BY LUTHER M'CARTY.

McCarty, though pleased with his victory, had a word of praise for Palzer. "If there was ever a fighter who could take more punishment and come back smiling, I'd like to know him," said Luther. "Palzer seemed to have an iron jaw."

BY AL PALZER.

Palzer, battered and bruised, is still game. He wants another fight. "I want to give McCarty credit. I was beaten by one of the best heavyweights. I did my best, but it wasn't good enough. I'd like another chance, though."

Hartsel Is Claiming Flag

Toledo, O., Jan. 3.—Basing his hope on his pitching staff, which was the weakest in the American association last season, Manager Topsy Hartsel predicted today that the local club will capture the 1913 pennant. Hartsel says he was exceptionally fortunate in the drafting.

Cleveland Wants Pitchers

Scout Billy Doyle received word from the Cleveland team Thursday to shake up the records of the past season and dig up a promising pitcher or two, which the Nap management want to use in a trade. Billy is now peering through the dope books and will line up two or three Class A twirlers for his team.

Leave For Florida

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hinchman received word Friday that their brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. William Hinchman, have left Columbus for Florida, where they will spend the balance of the winter.

Mr. Hinchman was recently elevated to the management of the Columbus American association team. He was formerly with the Reds, but was traded for Bedland, so he was permitted to slide. Then, of course, the fans and management regretted his departure. So it is with any number of good ball players who are drafted or bought by the Reds.

Not good enough for the Reds, they develop into star players for other teams. Look at Jeff Overall, Sam Crawford, Christy Mathewson, Steinfeldt, Bergen, et al.

Cincinnati people seem to think that if William Locke buys the Phillies the Reds will secure "Dode" Paskert. It is the general impression that if there is a change in the ownership of the Philadelphia club there must necessarily be a change in managers.

Walter Johnson and Christy Mathewson would win a popularity contest with umpires voting. Major league directors of the play all agree that these past masters seldom make a kick.

WHEN MEYERS STEALS.

It is a wonderful sight to see Chief Meyers, of the Giants, steal a base. As the huge Indian starts the earth rumbles and meteors fall from the shaking clouds. Pits the size of bathtubs appear along the trail as the Apache's mighty feet are planted here and there. He nears second; he falls; the impact of his monstrous carcass jars the infielders out from under their hats; a cloud of dust arises; the dust hides the noble red man from the view, and he is safe while they are groping for him. Some spectacle, and well worth witnessing.

How About Briddy?

Corridon has written to Charley Murphy stating that he is in such fine shape the Chicago fans will forget there ever was such a player as Tinker. Funny how the Christmas spirit, or spirits, will make some people rave.

Columbus, O., Jan. 3.—Billy Sunday's library is today enriched by two new books. Before his departure for New Orleans, Battling Nelson, former lightweight champion, sent to Billy Sunday, of whom he is now a great admirer, two books of which the "Battler" is the author. One of them is Bat's autobiography entitled "Life, Battles and Career of Battling Nelson," and the other, "The Wonders of Yellowstone Park."

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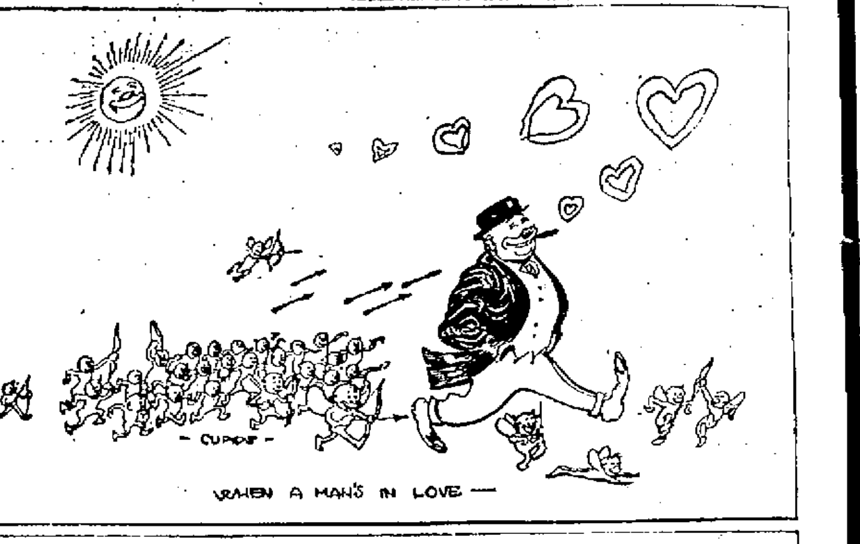

TO INSPECT CO. K ON JANUARY 29TH

The annual inspection of Company K, Seventh Regiment, O. N. G., will take place January 29. Company I, at Ironton, will be inspected January 30.

Organizations will be inspected in olive drab field service uniform only, including marching shoes and full equipment prescribed in paragraphs 242 and 243, Militia Regulations, 1910, with the exception of ammunition and rations, but including overcoat, blanket, comb, housewife, poncho, soap, toothbrush, towel, extra pair stockings and intrenching tools.

The inspection will include all property available for field service or of use in connection therewith, or preparatory thereto and, which is of the pattern and quality issued to the Regular Army, whether said property belongs to the United States or the State of Ohio.

During the inspection of any property in the store-room of organizations, the responsible or other commissioned officer of the organization inspected will be present with sufficient detail of men to handle the property. Said property will be previously assorted and neatly arranged for inspection.

Plant Will Resume

The plant of the Portsmouth Shoe Company will resume operations Monday, after being idle ten days to permit the installation of new machinery, the switching of the firm's mechanical equipment and the changing of one room into another. Eventually the plant is to be modernized throughout.

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SUIT FILED FOR DIVORCE

Attorney George W. Sheppard has the distinction of filing the first action in the common pleas court since the coming of the New Year, when on Friday he instituted a suit for divorce for Ella Fryer against her husband, Perry A. Fryer.

The wife in her application charges Fryer with neglect and alleges that he has been wilfully absent for the past nine years. The couple were married in August, 1889, at Falmouth, Ky., and they have two children, both grown.

Trip To Dayton.

Del Miller, prescription clerk at Miller's Ninth street pharmacy, has returned from a short trip to Dayton, Ohio. While in the Gem City, Del met Thos. Brushart, of this city.

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BUENA VISTA

Miss Carrie Weghorst has returned home from Cincinnati, where she had been called by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Edith Mavady.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kress are the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Blackburn, at Portsmouth, this week.

Mrs. Felix Collignon and little daughters, Bessie and Louise, left Tuesday evening for a visit with relatives at Rome.

Dr. C. H. Fultz, of Vanceburg, Ky., was a professional visitor here, Tuesday.

Mrs. Julia Kress has as her guests her daughters, Mrs. Gusta Brown, of Cincinnati, and Mrs. Lulu List, of Ripley.

Mr. and Mrs. James Nolder entertained Mrs. Mary Miller and family at New Year's dinner.

Roy Easter, of Pittsburg, arrived Sunday for a visit with relatives.

Don and Ernest Stockham are spending the week with friends at Hamilton, Ohio.

Mrs. Fred Weghorst, who has been sick for some time, continues alarmingly ill.

Francis Lanter is spending his vacation with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lanter at Portsmouth.

Miss Alma Davisson returned to her home at Portsmouth Sunday, after a few days spent with friends here.

The members of the Christian Endeavor gave a social in the I. O. O. F. hall, New Years eve.

Mr. and Mrs. George Fritz will leave next week for Cincinnati, where they will spend some time visiting friends.

Mrs. Maurice Young is ill at her home on Tucker street, threatened with an attack of typhoid fever.

Mrs. John Roth returned home from Rome Saturday, after a few days spent at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roy Boland.

Royal Sherbet is a drink that is pleasant to the taste. Refreshing and invigorating. Try it adv 11tf

Crew At Work.

The night crew of the N. & W. "hump" at the East Portsmouth yards, which was laid off during the holidays, returned to duty Wednesday night.

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What artists term "atmosphere" will be peculiarly and finely conveyed in Lyman H. Howe's reproduction of a journey through Holland at the Grand tonight and Saturday matinee and night. It is this subtle quality of "atmosphere" in a great painting which renders it priceless.

The word "atmosphere" explains his quality perhaps as well as any other word could, but none could describe all that it implies. Only the eye can realize what it means, and spectators of Mr. Howe's scenes will have an opportunity of appreciating the fact that the artist-photographer can transcribe on his roll of films even more of this picturesque quality than has been transferred hitherto on any canvas by the most gifted painter. This is proved conclusively by one particular portion of the Holland series showing a typical Dutch landscape at sunset and later by moonlight.

At The Grand

One of the best and most thoroughly equipped popular priced attractions on the road is said to be the Carleton Sisters Company with Misses Hazel and Daisy Carleton and a company of players far above the average seen in companies of this kind, which will appear at the Grand Opera House for one week, commencing Monday, January 6. Of the productions given during the week, there will be found no old plays under new titles. The play selected for Monday night is "Wedded and Parted."

Popular prices will prevail during the engagement. Ladies will be admitted for 15 cents Monday night with the first 200 seats sold. Tickets on sale Monday morning at 9 o'clock.

Walter Clausing has returned from a short pleasure trip to Huntington.

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Rally On Jan. 19

The big Sunday school rally in Portsmouth will be held on January 19th, instead of the 7th, as erroneously stated in Wednesday's Times.

Horse Died.

Dairyman Glenn Brady's horse which was struck by an N. & W. passenger train at Fourteenth and Clay streets a few days ago, died at Dr. Jos. Gill's hospital Wednesday evening.

Stone Plant Closed.

The McDermott Stone Company finished the sawing of all its orders on New Years and closed down its plant, probably until the first of March. The Waller Stone Company plant resumed operations Thursday after being shut down for the past ten days and will run right along as long as the weather will permit the stone being worked.

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To Visit In Marion

Eddie Meehan will leave in a few days for Marion, where he will pay a short visit to old friends. He played with the Marion team two years and would not be averse to managing the Diggers, should they re-enter the Ohio State League.

He would make a good leader, and it is understood he will be a strong candidate for the managerial post should Marion be returned to the fold. It is said the real fans in the upstate city are working on a plan to get their franchise back, and in the event they are successful, there will be but five directors instead of eight. Unable-to-agree directors have closed up more ball parks than meagre attendance ever dared to do.

What Makes A Woman?

One hundred and twenty pounds, more or less, of bone and muscle don't make a woman. It's a good foundation. Put into it health and strength and she may rule a kingdom. But that's just what Electric Bitters give her. Thousands bless them for overcoming fainting and dizzy spells and for dispelling weakness, nervousness, backache and tired, listless, worn out feeling. "Electric Bitters have done me a world of good," writes Eliza Pool, Depew, Okla., "and I thank you with all my heart for making such a good medicine." Only 50c. Guaranteed by The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy. adv

Not Afraid Of Real Work

That he is not afraid of manual work was proven by Alan Jordan, proprietor of the Washington hotel Thursday when he drove one of his own dairy wagons. One of his employes had quit his job and Alan at once took up his work until a successor could be found.

To Occupy New Plant

Monday, officials of the Pure Milk Company hope to transfer their headquarters from the present stand on John street to their new home on Gallia street. The John street headquarters are to be used as a distributing station for down town patrons.

In the new building the milk will be handled for shipment. All new and modern machinery has been installed and the plant is one of the most modernly equipped in this part of the state.

Going To Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Patton have arranged to leave Monday for El Paso, Tex., where they will remain indefinitely with a brother of Mr. Patton, who has been in El Paso for five years. If Mr. Patton runs across a business opening of promise, he will snap it up and reside permanently in the southwestern city.

NOTICE TO PLUMBERS

All persons engaged in the plumbing business in this city are hereby notified that they must take out a license at once in accordance with the rules and regulations of this board. For further particulars see Charles P. Stamm, plumbing inspector, at the city building, No. 724 Second street.

By order of the Board of Health.
S. P. FETTER, Pres. Pro Tem.
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Entertained On New Year's.

Mrs. Lillian Payne and Mrs. Sarah Peters, of Seventh street, entertained, New Year's eve, in honor of Mrs. Nora Ryder and her daughter, Bertha Buckner, of Jackson. Those present were: Miss Elnora Nash, Mrs. Cornutte and family, Mr. Harvey Williams and family, Messrs. White and George Forsyth. The evening was spent with music and games until a late hour, after which refreshments were served.

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A stencil Piano is a Piano that does not bear the name of the manufacturer. It always bears some fictitious name to mislead the buyer thinking he is getting a standard make. The manufacturer of the stencil Piano is ashamed to put his name on it for he knows that the Piano is no good though it may sound fine to you for a year or so and then it is gone and your money is also gone.

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Hardman Piano and Player made by Hardman, Peck & Co., New York.
Kimball Piano and Player made by W. W. Kimball Co., Chicago.
Behning Piano and Player made by Behning Piano Co., New York.
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One Price to All!

You cannot go wrong in purchasing any of the above makes.

5c Special Sale of Popular Sheet Music... 5c

The Hutchison Music Company

848 GALLIA ST. THE HOUSE OF QUALITY

SHEET METAL WORKERS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

At one of the most enthusiastic meetings ever held by the Sheet Metal Workers' Union No. 323, the annual election of officers took place Thursday night and the naming of new officials to pilot the destinies of the order was followed by a splendid banquet, at which forty members were present. The festivities took place in the new hall of the Central Labor Council, and the following officers were unanimously chosen:

John E. Thompson, president.
Richard Campbell, vice-president.
Frank Schimpf, recording and corresponding secretary.
N. L. Russell, financial secretary.
Clarence Pyles, treasurer.
Benjamin Long, conductor.
George Padull, warden.
Richard Campbell, Homer Thomas and J. E. Thompson, trustees.

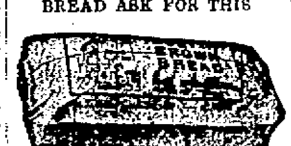
The representatives to Central Labor Council are: Clarence Pyles, Frank Schimpf and Richard Campbell. At the next meeting the officers will be inducted into office.

Inspector Has Office

City Plumbing Inspector Chas. Stamm has finally succeeded in getting his new quarters open, and is now in a position to carry on the affairs of his office in a systematic manner. He has secured the use of a room in the safety department building, and now has a supply of license blanks and other documents needed by his department. A framed license issued to Mr. Stamm by Mayor C. C. Glidden in 1897, adorns the wall of his office.

Will Install Officers.

Magnolia Lodge K. of P. at its meeting next Monday will install the staff of officers recently elected.

IF YOU WANT THE BEST BREAD ASK FOR THIS

MADE CLEAN, BAKED CLEAN SOLD CLEAN

Green Mill Whiskey
Bottled in Bond eight years old.
For sale by all first class liquor dealers.
S. M. DENISON
Distributor,
CHILLICOTHE, OHIO.

Otway Visitors.

James R. Walsh and James Blackburn, both prominent merchants of Otway, were in town Thursday on business.

New Bakers.

C. Burton and R. McGinity, two Cincinnati bakers, have taken positions with Chas. Grassman, of Chillicothe street.

DO NOT WAIT
PAY YOUR GAS BILLS
TODAY!
No Discount Allowed After the 10th.
The Portsmouth Gas Co.

Chocolates
A FRESH SUPPLY OF
Whitman & Guth's
JUST RECEIVED
THEY ARE DELICIOUS.
THERE IS NO BETTER.
TRY OUR FAMOUS
Marigold Cream
For Chapped Hands and Roughness of the Skin.
The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy
Cor, Sixth and Chillicothe Sts.

HALL BROS., Masonic Temple, Are Cutting Prices on Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats

Staiger's Specials

Fancy Potatoes, per bushel 75c
Fairchild's Flour, per sack 73c
Oats, 1912 pack, 3 packages for 25c
Navy Beans, per pound 6c

BEANS
Baked Beans, very best at only 15c
Baked Beans two for 25c

RAISINS
Fancy Seeded, 3 pkgs. for only 25c

CURRANTS
Fancy Cleaned Currants only 10c

CORN FLAKES
Fresh and crisp, two packages 20c

CRACKERS
Butter and Oyster, fresh and crisp, two pounds 15c

BEANS
Butter Beans, new, crisp, three pounds 25c
Vanilla Wafers, fresh and crisp, only 10c

MINCE MEAT
Bulk Mince Meat, very fine, per pound .....10 and 12½c

PUMPKIN
Canned Pumpkin, two cans for only 15c

HOMINY
Hominy, 2 cans for.....15c

KRAUT
Canned Kraut, Silver Fleece, 3 cans for 25c

PEACHES
Fancy Table Peaches, per can only 15c

PEACHES
Dried California Peaches, big and yellow .....10 and 12½c

PRUNES
Fancy, all sizes, 8 1-3c, 10, 12½c

GRAPE FRUIT
Fancy and large 5c

CAKE FLOUR
Aunt Jemima, special cake flour, something fine for cake baking. Try it. Only 23c

PURE LARD FOR SATURDAY ONLY, PER POUND 14½c

Give us your order and save money. We guarantee every article in this ad to be first class or money refunded.

Staiger's Corner

PHONE 791 Corner Ninth and Offnere

Massie Lodge Installs Officers

With Lawrence Roberts acting as master of ceremonies, Massie Lodge No. 115, K. of P., installed its recently elected staff of officers on Thursday night. Those who received the toga were: George Gulker, chancellor commander; R. J. Loff, vice chancellor; Frank Amann, prelate; W. E. Cook, master of work; O. I. Coriell, keeper of records and seals; J. B. Craigmiles, master of finance; W. D. Hoaz, master of exchequer; E. L. Kidd, master of arms; John Rhodes, inner guard; Frank Veasey, outer guard; W. S. Haney, trustee.

At the next regular meeting the page rank is to be conferred on several candidates.

Thanks Extended.

Superintendent John Hall desires to extend his thanks through the columns of the Times to all merchants and friends who so generously remembered the county infirmary during the holiday period.

Major John W. Overturf, formerly of this city, was a business visitor here from Columbus, Thursday.

FOOLISH TO KEEP CORNS

Putnam's Extractor Removes 'Em

No way to extract a corn like painting on Putnam's Corn Extractor; it's the surest Corn Doctor ever known. Eases up that awful pinch over night, brings out the hard kernel of the corn and leaves the toe smooth as silk. Millions of people have proved Putnam's Corn Extractor a genuine success; it will remove your corns, warts and callouses. Sold in 25c bottles and recommended by druggists and Fisher & Streich.

Eagles Install Officers

Frank Pratt, who is state conductor of the order, was the installing officer at the installation of new officers of River City Aerie of Eagles Thursday evening. Albert Maier is the new worthy president of the aerie. Former President Will N. Gubleman is now secretary. Dr. Carl Braumlin is the new aerie physician. A smoker followed the ceremonies. Four applications for membership were received at the meeting.

Stranded Thespians

The seven Thespians who stopped at the Biggs house Thursday, enroute to Cleveland, proved to have been members of a troupe that got stranded in the South. They arrived here Wednesday night after traveling for two days and two nights. There was only one woman in the party, she registering as Dorothy Dale, of Cleveland.

Returns To Chicago.

Milton Davidson, who is employed by the Thomas Moulding Company of Chicago, returned to that city Thursday at the conclusion of a short visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Davidson, of East Fourth street.

Show Troupe In City.

A show troupe is quartered at the Biggs House, enroute to Cleveland, after a tour of the South.

THE FAMOUS

Martha Washington Candy

FRESH FROM THE MANUFACTURER
NONE BETTER

THE PURE DRUGS CO
TWO STORES
Eleventh and Hutchins And Turley Building

WITH THE SICK

W. B. Anderson, of the firm of Anderson Bros.' Company, is suffering with a badly swollen finger from an over-zealous felon.

Dr. Flint Kline, who has been so seriously ill, was reported extremely low Thursday, his pulse being 166, according to his physicians.

Attorney Nate B. Gilliland is confined to his home on Franklin avenue by illness, which he hopes is only temporary.

A sudden turn for the worse Thursday prevented Mrs. Joseph Swander from being removed from the home of George Seab to her home on Eleventh street. Mrs. Swander's condition is again very grave, as she is suffering with heart trouble.

Hayes James, a well known sawyer, living on Ninth street, is extremely ill at his home, and grave fears are entertained for his recovery. Mr. James was taken sick about a week ago, and his condition has grown worse day by day since, and now his life is just hanging in the balance. He is a member of the Odd Fellows and Owl lodge.

Joe Abrams, who has been in the south for the past six months, arrived home Thursday, being called here by the serious illness of his sister, Mrs. McGowan, who is no better.

Mrs. Frank Lewis continues to improve from her recent serious operation, and is gaining a little strength each day. She hopes to venture down town in the next two or three days.

William Chisholm, of the Bank cafe, on Chillicothe street, received word Thursday that his aged father, 'Squire Chisholm, of Maysville, Ky., is quite ill, being threatened with pneumonia.

Mrs. Thomas Collins, of Middlesfield, who underwent a delicate operation at Hempstead hospital a few days ago, is doing nicely, and her complete recovery is now assured.

Matt Mahl is reported very low with typhoid fever. His friends hold out very little hope for his recovery. The attack is the second of its kind with which Mahl has suffered.

Director of Public Service John M. Williams was able to visit his office Thursday, after a few days' severe sick spell. He is still very weak.

Mrs. Maggie Barlow has returned to her clerical work in the Salvage store, after being detained at home a week on account of the illness of her sister, Miss Kate Farrell.

Thos. Mathewson, who was recently dismissed from the city hospital, where he underwent treatment for erysipelas, was able to be on the streets for the first time, Thursday. He is much improved and thinks he has been permanently relieved.

E. M. Cross, well-known contracting painter, is dangerously ill at his home on Second street, near Washington. Mr. Cross suffered with inflammation of the bowels last Friday, then developed fever, and in addition is now suffering with an unusually severe attack of quinsy. The Odd Fellows provided him with the services of a trained nurse.

Mr. Cross was stricken just as he had started the work of repainting the Portsmouth Gas Company's new home at Eighth and Chillicothe streets. His young daughter, Miss Gladys Cross, who is employed as sales girl at Leslie Herzog's postcard stand, is also bedfast with malaria and la grippe.

Harry B. Green, well known traveling salesman for a Charleston, W. Va., bile and junk firm, is again suffering with a severe nervous attack.

Green is occupying cheerless quarters on the third floor of his building on Front street. He declined offers of assistance from the various fraternal bodies to which he belongs, and refused to listen to the suggestion that he go to Hempstead hospital. As he had not had a fire in the room for three days and as many nights, friends appealed to the police authorities on Thursday evening, fearing he might freeze to death. Green, though, refused to listen to any change. Close watch was kept upon him throughout the night.

Police Sergeant Hans is again off duty with an attack of stomach trouble. Officer Charley Flowers is temporarily filling his duties at headquarters.

Mrs. Catherine Schroeder, aged mother of George W. Schroeder, of this city, who was taken ill with pneumonia at her home in Maysville, Ky., a few days ago, is reported no better. She is the wife of Fred Schroeder, a widely-known florist of the Mason county capital.

Phone Oakes, A-343, for feed. adv—11-tf

GREAT STOCK REDUCING SALE

Inventory Time Is Here

and after going over our stock we find that there are a number of pieces in nearly every line that stand by themselves and ought to be disposed of at any price in order to enable us to put new stock on our floors for the spring trade. We have gone over these pieces very carefully, reduced the price on them to cost and some of them below cost and will give you some figures on desirable pieces that will startle you.

We want to emphasize the fact that the furniture put on sale is not old style, or undesirable, to the contrary nearly every piece is good and fresh, only that it is left out of a large lot of similar goods and therefore offered at such reductions.

Take Advantage of This Sale and Save Money By It

Library Chairs
Regular Price $16.50. Special Price $10.50
Regular Price $14.50. Special Price .....$ 8.25
Regular Price $12.50. Special Price .....$ 7.75
Regular Price $ 7.50. Special Price .....$ 4.75
Regular Price $ 8.00. Special Price .....$ 5.50
Regular Price $ 6.00. Special Price .....$ 3.75

Den Chairs
Regular Price $28.00. Special Price $18.75
Regular Price $16.50. Special Price $10.50
Regular Price $15.50. Special Price .....$ 8.50
Regular Price $14.00. Special Price .....$ 8.25
Regular Price $12.50. Special Price .....$ 7.00

Morris Chairs
Regular Price $32.50. Special Price $24.50
Regular Price $25.00. Special Price $16.75
Regular Price $20.00. Special Price $15.25
Regular Price $16.50. Special Price $12.25
Regular Price $15.00. Special Price $11.25
Regular Price $16.00. Special Price $11.75

Turkish Rockers
Regular Price $35.00. Special Price $20.00
Regular Price $20.00. Special Price $14.25
Regular Price $20.00. Special Price $14.50
Regular Price $18.00. Special Price $12.00
Regular Price $16.50. Special Price $11.75
Regular Price $15.00. Special Price $10.75

Mahogany Rockers in Tapestry and Silk
Regular Price $21.50. Special Price $13.75
Regular Price $18.00. Special Price $11.25
Regular Price $16.50. Special Price $10.25
Regular Price $11.00. Special Price .....$ 7.00

Brass Beds
Regular Price $47.50. Special Price $33.00
Regular Price $40.00. Special Price $28.75
Regular Price $40.00. Special Price $27.75
Regular Price $60.00. Special Price $41.50

Mahogany Parlor Cabinets
Regular Price $35.00. Special Price $22.75
Regular Price $25.00. Special Price $16.75
Regular Price $18.50. Special Price $11.75

Book Cases
Regular Price $65.00. Special Price $37.50
Regular Price $50.00. Special Price $32.50
Regular Price $40.00. Special Price $28.00
Regular Price $55.00. Special Price $35.00
Regular Price $32.00. Special Price $22.50
Regular Price $30.00. Special Price $20.00

Mahogany Library Tables
Regular Price $62.50. Special Price $38.50
Regular Price $37.50. Special Price $27.00
Regular Price $40.00. Special Price $28.50
Regular Price $22.00. Special Price $15.50
Regular Price $21.00. Special Price $15.00
Regular Price $26.00. Special Price $17.75
Regular Price $20.00. Special Price $14.75

Fine Dressers
Two Oak Dressers, Regular Price $35. Special Price Each $25.00
Two Maple Dressers, Regular Price $28. Special Price each $20.00
One Maple Dresser, Regular Price $55.00. Special Price each $37.50
One Oak Dresser, Regular Price $55.00. Special Price $37.50
One Oak Dresser, Regular Price $40.00. Special Price $25.50

Saturday Special!

100 Clocks, good timekeeper, in round nickel case, will run 30 hours, a good timepiece for every home or on a desk. Regular price 75c. Special price.... **39 cts.**

THE HOUSE OF SATISFACTION

THE SAMUEL HORCHOW CO.

COMPLETE HOUSE FURNISHINGS 842-844 GALLIA STREET

Semi-Annual 20 Per Cent Dividends

To All Our Customers Commencing Saturday Morning at 8 O'clock!

THE NEW IDEA CLOTHING CO. will sell all their $20.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS AT $16.00; $15.00 SUITS AND OVERCOATS AT $12.00. Remember this: If you need a Suit or Overcoat buy it now! The Winter is just starting. YOU CAN SAVE MONEY. ALL OUR CLOTHING IS UNION MADE. THEY HAVE THE LABEL.

306 Chillicothe St **New Idea Clothing Company** Al Hammel Manager

Prominent Farmer Shot Four Times By A Love Sick Youth

As a result of trying to pacify an angry lover, Will Moore, one of the best known residents of Blue Creek, is today nursing four bullet wounds inflicted by Will Kerr, 20 years of age.

The shooting occurred Thursday night about 9 o'clock on Wintersteen Run, near Hartsel Hazelbaker's home. It is said that Kerr is a devoted admirer of Miss Ruth Hazelbaker, daughter of Hartsel Hazelbaker, but she would have nothing to do with him. This did not seem to worry the Kerr boy, but he did insist upon other young men staying away from the young girl. He had warned Okley Ogdon, the 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ogdon, that he must not take Miss Ruth, who is only 15, home from church again. Ogdon laughed at the Kerr boy's threats, but others told him to beware of the boy.

Nevertheless, on Thursday evening young Ogdon asked Miss Hazelbaker to accompany her home from church, which was held at Newman's chapel, and they both started merrily off together.

Joe Ogdon and Will Moore, seeing the Kerr boy lurking behind the young couple, decided to follow closely and prevent any trouble. It is said the Kerr boy made threats against young Ogdon and his companion, when Mr. Moore interfered and began arguing with him. Kerr pulled a 22-calibre revolver and fired four shots at Mr. Moore, all taking effect in the arm and abdomen.

When he saw Mr. Moore fall to the ground he ran and escaped his pursuers, and the last heard of him he was heading toward the Kentucky hills.

Mr. Moore was carried to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Fife, where his wounds were dressed. The two bullets which were imbedded in the arm were easily removed, but the two that lodged in the abdomen have not been probed for, although the physicians state they know where they are located and unless something unforseen occurs, they will give Mr. Moore no trouble. He makes his home with Joe Ogdon, and as soon as he is better, he will be removed to that residence.

FED SICK CHILD PEANUTS

Police were called by Mrs. J. Brown, of No. 917 Oak street, Thursday night, she complaining that a friend of the family, who was in his cups, persisted in feeding her 8-year-old son with peanuts, though the child was very ill with typhoid fever. Officers chased the man from the house without learning his identity.

Have Some Trouble With Parcels Post

A box of hen fruit arrived at the postoffice Friday through the parcels post. The eggs were from a dealer at Mineral Springs and were consigned to local parties. The cost of the shipment was 8 cents.

Officials are discovering that the public's ignorance of the parcels post laws is causing no little inconvenience to them. Merchandise, fourth-class matter, cannot be sent through the mails with the ordinary postage stamp on it. It requires the parcels post stamp. Regular stamps are equivalent to none at all. Unless the sender's name is on the package, it is shunted into the dead letter service.

A few weeks' continuation of the service, it is believed by local officials, will see practically all of the wrinkles ironed out of the system.

CHAPEL CAR MAN TALKED

Rev. W. J. Sparks, of the Baptist Chapel car, spoke at the Y. M. C. A. Thursday night on "An Ideal Man." He talked to a large crowd of men and his address was well received. Rev. Sparks has been holding a number of meetings at the Y. M. C. A. this year, and he is fast becoming a favorite at the association.

Marble For Bank Front

Work is to be commenced shortly on the new front and remodeling of the Central National Bank room.

The bank will be improved with magnificent fixtures ordered from the Columbus Marble Company, the same firm which is equipping the First National Bank room. There is a scarcity of good marble in the country, and that is what delayed the work at the First National Bank building, which bank should have been located in its new home last September.

Poor Were After Help

The sudden cold snap had the effect of producing a number of calls for relief from the poor of the city. Coal was wanted in most cases and the needy and deserving ones were supplied by the city safety department.

The new Parcels Post Map, showing zones and rates, $1.00. W. W. Reilly & Co. adv—2-25

WANTED THE DETAILS

Coroner O. W. Robe, in response to a letter received from Mrs. E. L. Johnson of Alliance, O., has furnished the writer particulars of the death of Frank Vanpelt, who died rather suddenly the day before Christmas. Vanpelt was employed by the contracting firm of Curtis & Shumway in the construction of the new reservoir. Vanpelt received injuries which, with attending complications, caused his death. He was buried in Greenlawn cemetery, December 26, under the rituals of the Owls. Mrs. Johnson is a sister of the decedent.

Slippery Walk Caused Fall

Slipping on an ice-coated sidewalk on Chillicothe street Friday morning, Mrs. Harriet Sparks, of Sixth street, was badly shaken up and it was necessary to take her home in a carriage. A physician found no bones broken, but Mrs. Sparks suffered considerably from the shock attending her fall.

Too Rough For Auto

Messrs. Pake, Stephenson, Weaver and McAfee started for Stockdale Friday morning in Pake's machine, but got only a short distance out of the city when they found the roads so bad they were afraid to continue in the machine. Mr. Pake was left to steer the car home and the remainder rented a horse and buggy and decided to continue the trip.

They did not want to miss that good, old-fashioned dinner which they had been promised.

Back From Toledo

Isador Goodman will return Saturday from Toledo, where he has been spending the holidays with his parents. He was formerly engaged in business in that city.

Domestic Trouble

Police were called to the home of Mrs. Maude Spry, of No. 1314 Kenyon street, Thursday night, to end a big family rumpus.

Mrs. Spry and her husband, James W. Spry, an N. & W. brakeman, are separated, she recently suing him for divorce, and it is said, while drinking he went to the home Thursday evening. Finding a brother-in-law, Mirland Finley, an N. & W. conductor, there, he attacked him and Finley's children. Finley's wife, it seems, has also left him, and he has been since staying at the Spry home. Police finally restored order and no arrests were made.

John W. Overturf, of Columbus, is in the city looking after matters of a business nature, and will remain the balance of the week.

Decided Change In Weather, Thank You

One day a little sunshine and gulf-like breezes, and the next a genuine midwinter snowstorm, accompanied by bone-chilling blasts; such are the vagaries of Southern Ohio weather. It was as if one stepped from April into the rear end of snowy, blizzardy January.

Portsmouth awoke Friday to find the city covered with a blanket of snow and the temperature dropping two and three degrees at a time. And what a change from the shirt-sleeve, overcoatless brand of weather we have had the past few days. The maximum temperature Thursday was 62 against freezing weather today. The city was visited by a heavy rain late last night, which gradually drifted into a sleet and snowstorm, and "Mother Earth" was concealed from view by a sheet of "the beautiful" this morning. It was some atmospherical surprise and forcibly called attention to the pranks the weather is likely to cut up in this locality.

GOING BACK HOME TO DIE

It was a sorrowful looking procession when Leander Cole and his family wended their way back to that dear Old Kentucky, Friday morning.

Moving slowly ahead of them as they descended the river grade, in the patrol, was an undertaker's wagon, bearing the remains of Edward Cole, a 19-year-old son of the stricken family.

City officials, the Associated Charities and the Ohio Stove Company, employers of the dead young man, had jointly provided the means to enable the afflicted ones to return to their native heath at Calif, Ky. The father in the last stages of consumption, and others of his children, victims of the "white plague," were anxious to get back to the old home to die.

It was the dying wish of the boy to be buried at the old home, that moved the above to lend a helping hand to the unfortunates. Burial expenses were defrayed and transportation provided, and in addition John A. Wilhelm turned over to the family $3.00 which he had collected at random from charitably inclined persons.

Ex-Convict Sends Greetings

George Frey, the Cincinnati contractor, who recently served a jail sentence here for obtaining money under false pretenses, has written to the police officials, wishing them the compliments of the season. Frey writes that both he and wife were very ill during the holidays, but once he is on his feet again, he expects to square up his local obligations.

A "Sure" Investment

Do you care to have that "XMAS MONEY" work for you?

A "Diamond of Quality" is a really safe investment, because its value increases every year.

A "Good Diamond" has a charm that grows with time.

Our stock of these precious stones is extensive, and our judgment of stones reliable—because of years of experience.

Will you favor us with a call? no matter whether you intend purchasing or not.

Otto Zoellner & Bro.

Jewelers and Opticians 415 Chillicothe St.

W. O. W. WILL INSTALL

At its regular meeting Friday night, River City Camp, W. O. W., will install its new staff of officers, with W. S. Clark as the installing officer.

Several candidates will be obligated at the meeting and they will be initiated a week hence. The camp will hold its annual banquet on Feb. 21, when a large class of candidates will be initiated. George I. Broid, of Cincinnati, will be the principal speaker of the occasion.

On Track Of Robbers

Chief of Police Sam Phillipps reported Friday that there were no new developments in the saloon robberies. He and the officers detailed on the robberies are firmly of the opinion that they know the guilty parties and hope to arrest them sooner or later.

Stop, Look, Listen!

Go and see Miller's houses on Mound street before you buy. adv—3-3t

Everything Ready For Big Revival

Everything is in readiness for the big evangelistic services to be begun at the First Christian church next Sunday morning. Evangelist William T. Brooks, of Ludoga, Ind., and Jack Lewis, the Welsh tenor, of New Castle, Pa., are expected to arrive here some time Saturday, both ready for the work which they will undertake, and which they will doubtless carry through to a successful conclusion.

Evangelist Brooks, who is a brother to Rev. Crayton S. Brooks, pastor of the First Christian church, is one of the best known and most thoroughly equipped ministers in the Brotherhood. He spoke here a little over a year ago, and made a splendid impression upon his hearers. He never lacks for words and illustrates his sermons with tactful illustrations, making every point so clear that all who hear him can understand. He is eloquent at all times and in deadly earnest always.

Mr. Lewis, who has gained fame throughout the country as a vocalist, will have charge of the large choir that will be recruited. The platform has been enlarged to accommodate fifty persons, and special songs will be sung. Mr. Lewis will also render at least one solo at each service.

The members of the church are ready for the revival, which is expected to be one of the best in the history of the "Church of the Cordial Welcome."

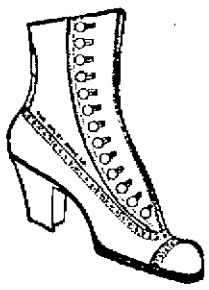
Window Fell On Her Arm

Mrs. Grace Rogers, of 714 Tenth street, met with a misfortune when a window she was raising let go and fell heavily on her right arm. Dr. Fitch was called and an examination showed no bones to be broken, although the arm was badly sprained.

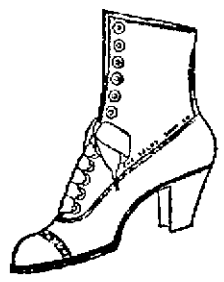
The law office of Geo. M. Osborn has been removed to Rooms 14-17 Turley building, erstwhile occupied by Judge Oscar W. Newman. Home 'phone 91. adv-jan 2-1mo

Will Take The Road.

After spending ten days in Portsmouth, Harry Gillilan, will take the road again Monday for the Brown Shoe Company of St. Louis. He will make a trip through Western Ohio.



Winter Clearance Sale of Women's Shoes Beginning Saturday Morning



Another opportunity in the special sale line at Andersons'. This time it is women's shoes that are reduced in price to effect a quick clearance. Our inventory in this department finds us with too much stock in some styles and we have put in operation our cut price method to reduce the stock at once. Here are the descriptions and the reduced prices now in effect. Come at once for choicest bargains and to insure your getting the proper size. Later on lines will be broken and your size may be gone.

Look Over This Line and Take Your Choice. Special Lots of Women's Winter Shoes At Handsome Reductions.

WOMEN'S $5.00 SHOES REDUCED

Women's high tan calf boots, waterproof, lace with both straps and buckles, $5.00 values for $3.95.
Women's patent colt Princess boots, button and lace combined, $5.00 values for $4.45.

Women's $4.00 Shoes Reduced

Dull calf custom boots, lace and with low heel. Regular $4.00 value for $3.45.

Dull kid button boots with pearl buttons. A good seller at $4.00. Special price now $3.50.

Tan calf button with full high toe, a good $4.00 number for $3.45.

Tan calf lace with blind eyelets. A very stylish shoe, worth $4.00 and now selling at $3.25.

Black Velvet boots, welt soles, worth $4.00 for $3.50.

Women's $3.50 Shoes Reduced

Tan calf button shoes with knob toe and welt soles. $3.50 value for $2.95.

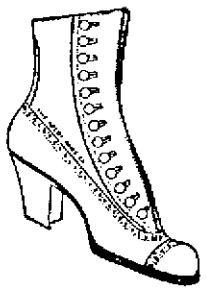
Black cravenette welt boots, worth $3.50 for $3.00.

Patent colt button boots, a good $3.50 value for $3.00.

Dull calf button boot with welt soles and knob toes, a good seller at $3.50, now $3.00.

Gun metal button shoes with welt soles $3.50 for $2.75.

Vici kid high top button shoes with heavy welt soles. Lots of value at $3.50 now only $3.00.



Special Lot of Women's Shoes at $1.98

One table full of women's shoes in patent and dull boots that have been selling at $4.00 and $3.50 and you can take your choice from this big lot for only $1.98.

Andersons' Big Shoe Sale

The Anderson Bros Co. COR. CHILLICOTHE & THIRD STS.

Andersons' Big Shoe Sale

Big Cut Price Sale on at Hall Bros. MASONIC TEMPLE FOURTH AND CHILLICOTHE STS.

Follow the Crowd to the Great Shoe Sale of the Stock of Frank J. Baker

845 GALLIA STREET

NOW FOR THE WINDUP. TWO MORE DAYS OF THE GREATEST OF ALL SHOE SALES. COST NO LONGER GUAGES THE SELLING PRICE. ALL MUST GO.

The Consolidated Shoe Factory's Co. have gone through the whole stock and have marked down the prices on everything for a clean sweep of everything in sight. Every shoe, boot and rubber in the stock for Men, Women, Boys, Misses and Children are marked at prices that will move them quick. Now is the time to turn our loss to your profit.

BIG LOT OF LADIES' VELVET SHOES GO AT $1.78	Big lot of Ladies' Patent Turn Sandals and Pumps go at 98c	Men's, Women's and Children's Rubbers, while they last at .... 39c, 49c, 69c and 74c.	A small lot of Infants' Soft Soles, the sale price was 29 cents. To clean up go at 19c
Big lot of Men's Tan Russia Calf Welt Bluchers go at $2.47	MEN'S HOOD BRAND, FIRST QUALITY HIP BOOTS $4.68	Big lot of Ladies' Tan Buttons, $4.00, $4.50 and $5.00 grades go for $3.29	One lot of girls' shoes that sold for $1.75, $2.00 and $2.50 to clean up go for 98c

Every one attending this big sale Friday and Saturday will reap a rich harvest. So get in line when the doors open Friday and Saturday morning and get your shoes at the old stand of

845 Gallia Street **FRANK J. BAKER** *Consolidated Shoe Factory Company in Possession*

RECEIPTS AT HOSPITAL FALL SHORT OF 1911

The receipts at Hempstead hospital for the year just ended fall short $779.85 of the amount collected during the preceding year.

The total receipts in 1911 were $7,079.05 as against $6,299.20 this year. In 1910 the total receipts amounted to $6,191.79.

The collections for the month of December at the hospital amounted to $524.32, while the total for December, 1911, was $947. The monthly collections during 1912 were as follows:

January, $504.03; February, $602.84; March, $751.75; April, $402.29; May, $165.60; June, $288.89; July, $447.62; August, $568.72; September, $543.92; October, $670.00; November, $506.12; December, $524.32.

TELEGRAPHIC TABLOIDS

(By United Press.)

New York, Jan. 3.—Declaring that the time had gone by when "we send scoundrels into the navy to reform them," Justice Goff sentenced James Roche, thief and would-be sailor, to 11 months in the pen.

Atlantic City, N. J., Jan. 3.—Miss Bessie Townsend, 24, was appointed city comptroller at a salary of $1,500 a year. She will have charge of $3,000,000 and the sale of all city bonds.

London, Jan. 3.—The will of former high sheriff Griffith Dearden, of Northampton, requested that his body be buried with that of Pompeii, his dog.

New York, Jan. 3.—Charles Vansant and Pietro Duelto, duelists, fired five shots at each other, scarred up a lumber pile and broke a window. They were arrested.

Berlin, Jan. 3.—A hotel porter of Mayence, who bought an estate out of tips, has given the hotel porters' association a five-acre lot for a home for superannuated porters.

New York, Jan. 3.—W. B. Cross, a wealthy rancher, and would-be benedict, wants a wife near 50, who can sing and play the piano and is not "too wise."

Big State Meeting Is Coming To City

Portsmouth is to have the pleasure and honor of entertaining the 1913 State Sunday School Association, which will meet here the first week in June.

At a meeting of the Sunday school workers, held at the Second Presbyterian church Thursday evening, when fifteen prominent Sunday schools in the county were represented, an invitation was extended by the Scioto Sunday School Association to Dr. J. H. Eudaly, state president of the association, who, with the secretary, Charles Shinn, and the former state secretary, Dr. Joseph Clark, met with the representatives Thursday night.

Dr. Eudaly accepted the invitation for the association and thanked the citizens for the invitation. The coming of the state convention means that Portsmouth will entertain about 5,000 delegates, said Dr. Eudaly.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Scioto County Sunday School Association will be held next Wednesday night, when preliminary arrangements will be made for the coming of the convention.

Frank Ehret has taken a position as bartender at Frank Walters' Waller street cafe.

HAIR STOPS FALLING, DANDRUFF DISAPPEARS—25 CENT "DANDERINE"

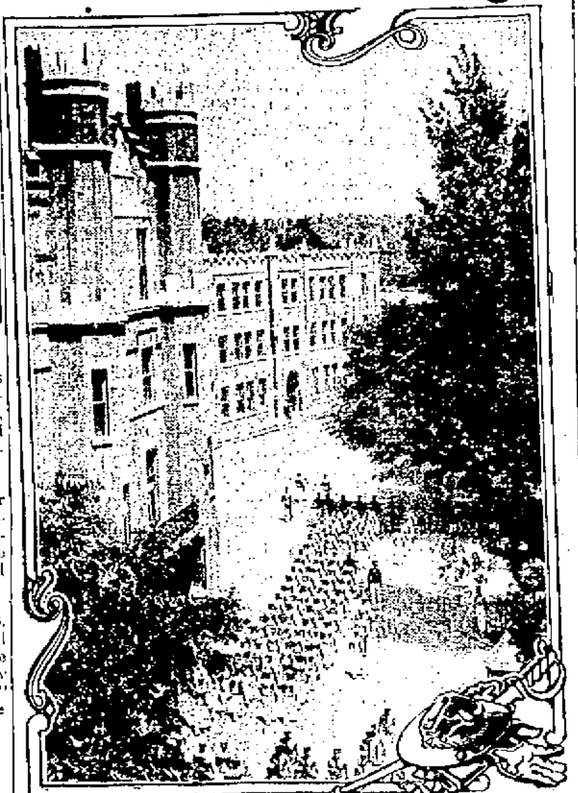
Save your Hair! Beautify it! Invigorate your scalp! Danderine grows hair and we can prove it.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or a loose or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you will actually see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine now will immediately double the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter, and prove to yourself tonight—now—that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

Howe Pictures At The Grand Tonight



"PASSING BARRACKS"—ONE OF LYMAN H. HOWE'S STRIKING SCENES OF CADET LIFE AT TYPICAL U.S. MILITARY SCHOOL

"Military Training in America" will be one of the features of the Lyman H. Howe show at the Grand tonight, Saturday matinee and night.

These views taken at the Culver school, prove conclusively that instead of military training in America being "deficient" it is, on the contrary, as efficient as the training of the best military institutions in any country in the world. In fact the perfect drills, horsemanship, maneuvers, target practice and other phases of the student's life, depicted from his arrival as a new recruit to his graduation as a cadet, will come as a revelation even to Americans. Although the United States War Department has for many years designated this academy as one of the most distinguished institutions of the kind in America, it has not been so well known by the public at large and that very fact lends additional interest to these scenes.

PLANNING FOR CONVENTION

The degree team of River City Camp, W. O. W., held a business meeting at the office of Clerk Roy McElhaney, Thursday evening, and discussed plans for the part they are to take and lend their assistance in carrying out the arrangements for the state convention of the organization to be held here next April, to a successful conclusion.

Laid Up For Winter

The big cabin motor boat, Wanderlust, was hauled from the river to winter quarters Friday morning. The big craft, which is owned by Sam Callihan, an N. & W. engineer, attracted much attention as it was drawn through Chillicothe street.

OWLS TO HAVE PIG ROAST

The pig that is to be roasted for the annual banquet tendered the members of the Order of Owls by the officers-elect for the year 1913, at the Owl's Nest Monday evening, Jan. 6, next, was butchered Friday by the donor, County Treasurer-elect, Maurice J. Caldwell, and hung out to freeze.

The porker weighs right at the 150 pound mark and it will be the principal dish of the big "feed," which promises to be an enjoyable affair.

Gives Up Position.

R. E. Waugh, former real estate man who has been working in the shipping room at the Selby shoe factory for some time past, gave up his position there Thursday.

Renew Leases On Oil Property

Grove Bros., the New York state oil speculators, who two years ago secured oil and gas leases on considerable land in Clay township, have exercised their option to renew the leases at the rate of ten per acre.

The firm sunk two or three wells, and found both oil and gas, but not in paying quantities. They are practical oil men and they are planning to put down other test wells in this vicinity in the early spring, it is said.

Clam or oyster stew at the Washington hotel buffet every Saturday night. 31-5

NEW BOSTON WOODMEN BANQUET

The New Boston Camp, Woodmen of the World, at its regular meeting Thursday night, gave its annual banquet. There was a good attendance and a business session preceded the elaborate "spread," which was served in the lodge hall. John Noel and Martin Hall were unanimously chosen as delegates to the bi-annual state convention of the organization, which is to be held in Portsmouth next April.

The exercises at the meeting last night included splendid talks by Dr. W. G. Cheeny, Sam Davis, Martin Hall and others.

Injured In Fall

In a fall down a flight of stairs in the Fifth Avenue building in New York, Charley Green, formerly of this city sustained a badly sprained ankle, and he will be laid up a week or ten days at the Astor Hotel in the metropolis. Mr. Green went to New York to buy goods for the Toledo firm with whom he is associated.

Cottage Is Sold

William Fitzer, Clay township dairyman, has sold the cottage he recently erected in Brewery Hollow, to Thomas Meadows, a terminal employe. The new owner has moved his family into the dwelling.

Sam Jones and family moved from Findlay street to a flat on Third street, near Bond street, Thursday.

Tuberculosis Remedy Based on Medicine

To say that a specific exists for the cure of Consumption is perhaps too strong a statement, but in Eckman's Alterative we have a medicine that has been the means of saving many a life to years of usefulness, and in permanently benefiting a large number of Consumptives.

Certainly a person afflicted with a wasting disease should be well fed with wholesome, nourishing food, but frequently raw eggs in quantities cause a digestive breakdown, and then no food nourishes. As for milk, a very good food for many, but a producer of biliousness for some.

Any diet that keeps a Consumptive well nourished is the right one, but what is going to improve the patient? Eckman's Alterative has brought about full recovery in many cases of Consumption. Let those speak who know. Here is one:—

30 Savannah St., Rochester, N. Y.

"Gentlemen: On June 3, 1907, I was operated upon for Tubercular peritonitis at St. Mary's Hospital, Rochester, N. Y. After the operation my physician gave me up as hopeless. I was then urged by a priest to take Eckman's Alterative, which I did. My weight at the time was 73 lbs. I began to improve and steadily gained in health and strength. I now weigh 125 pounds, and am absolutely well. Believing I owe it to myself and others, I make this statement."

(Sworn Affidavit) EDNA FINZER

Eckman's Alterative is effective in Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever; Throat and Lung Troubles, and in upbuilding the system. Does not contain poisons, opiates or habit-forming drugs. Ask for booklet telling of recoveries and write to Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for more evidence. For sale by all leading druggists

The Fisher & Streich Pharmacy, Portsmouth, Ohio.

KNITTEL'S FINE BAKERY GOODS AT ALL TIMES

THE STAR THEATRE

New Management

DAILY FEATURES

816 GALLIA STREET

Just Off Of Chillicothe Street

Eugene E. Knox, Masonic Temple, insures anything insurable.

Chesapeake & Ohio Ry.

schedule subject to change without notice

Trains leave South Portsmouth, Ky., Ferry steamer Chesapeake leaves Portsmouth, O., 30 minutes prior to departure of trains:

West Bound

In effect Nov. 24, 1912.

No. 1 daily, fast train 7:14 a. m.
No. 3 daily, fast train 1:54 p. m.
No. 7 daily, local ......2:14 p. m.
No 5 daily, fast train 5:23 a. m.
No. 17 week days, local, 7:39 a. m.

East Bound

No. 2 daily, fast train 2:52 p. m.
No. 4 daily, fast train 11:52 p. m.
No. 8 daily, local ....11:30 a. m.
No. 6 daily, fast train, 9:22 p. m.
No. 16 week days, local, 7:15 p. m.

Ticket office, 126 Market street, Washington Hotel. Both phones.

D. A. GRIMES, Agent.

EXTRAORDINARY SALE OF

Women's Corsets

Values to $1.50 **25c** **Values to $1.50**

We have bought from the Joseph G. Reed wholesale house about 400 women's fine corsets consisting of odd sizes and shapes in corsets that sell regularly for from 50c up to $1.50. The lot includes Kabo and R. & J. as well as other well known makes, in all over a dozen different styles. Many of them are high bust styles also some nursing corsets. These will be placed on sale Saturday morning and as the quantity is limited they will go quick so come early for choice. Buy as many as you like Saturday at 25c

7 QUART TEA KETTLES

KETTLE 25c. COVER 14c

A special lot of 7 quart grey enameled tea kettles made with seamless bottoms. Guaranteed against leaking. They are the seconds of the $1.00 grade. Note our special price.

COAL OIL LAMPS 20c

Two styles in coal oil hand lamps. High or low shape. Complete with glass base, burner, wick and globe. Sale price .. 20c

TIN BUCKETS .... 7, 10 and 15c

Best grade tin covered buckets. The two, three, four and six quart sizes .... 7c, 10c and 15c

BLACK BREAD PANS 10c

Medium and large size sheet iron bread pans. Special value at each... 10c

12 QUART GRANITE BUCKETS 25c

Full seamless solid steel grey enameled water buckets. The 12 quart size actually worth 50c. Sale price each 25c

2 GALLON MILK CROCKS 15c

Special value in two gallon brown stone milk crocks. This is the size sold usually for 25c. Sale price here........ 15c

BOYS' 25c UNDERWEAR 12 1-2c

An odd lot of boys' regular 25c grade, extra heavy, double fleece lined shirts and drawers. Odd sizes only. Regular price 25c. To close 12½c

FLEECE LINED HOSE 7 1-2c

Women's heavy weight fast black fleece lined cotton stockings. Elastic tops. Regular 10c grade. Special Saturday for.. 7½c

STONE SLOP JARS 25c

Plain white stone combinets or slop jars. Complete with cover and wire bail. The largest size. Worth 50 cents. Sale price complete 25c

SPECIAL WHITE WARE 5c

Deep and shallow shape oyster bowls and cups and saucers. Some are slightly imperfect but none cracked. Worth 10 cents. Sale price each 5c

EXTRA HEAVY BROOMS 25c

These are made of green corn stock, four tie, and are good heavy weight. Special Sale price 25c

CUPS AND SAUCERS 10c

We now have the blue pattern cups and saucers as well as the gold band. Popular shape cups. Beautiful pattern. Sale price 10c

Six Kinds Delicious Cream Fudges Per Pound 10 CENTS

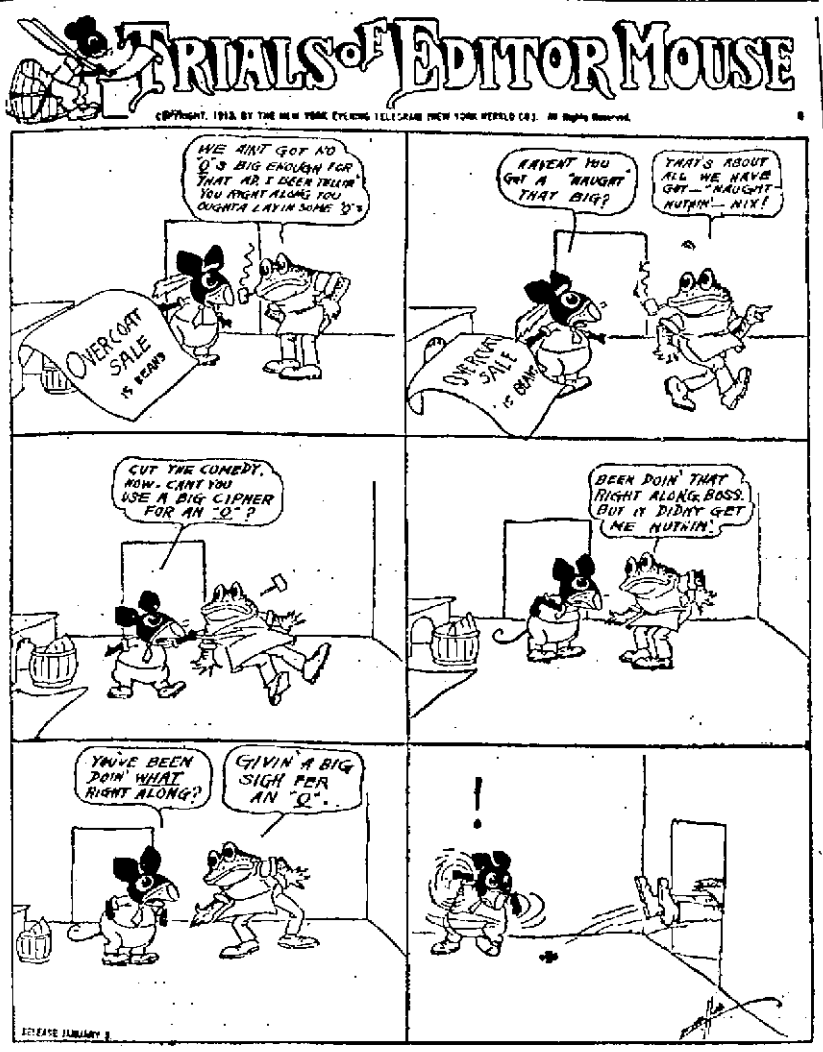
Cor. Gallia and Gay Sts.

PEPPER'S

ONE TO 25 CENT STORE

Fresh Toasted Marshmellows Per Pound 10 CENTS

Cut Prices on Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats at Hall Bros. MASONIC TEMPLE



PIANO MAN GONE, DEBTS ARE HERE

W. C. Hammond, an Ironton piano dealer, who opened a branch store in Portsmouth, is out of the city, leaving behind numerous creditors to mourn his absence.

Hammond has not been seen since Monday, when he is said to have left Portsmouth. A New York man took charge of what few pianos Hammond still had in stock. One or two of these had been sold by Hammond, but the New York City man is said to have recovered them from the purchasers.

Hammond has been up against it for some time past. He operated a store on Clay street, but on Thanksgiving Day moved to a house on Robinson avenue and advertised five pianos for sale. None of his acquaintances has any idea as to his present whereabouts.

ALWAYS THE FIRST .. THE AMERICAN INSURANCE UNION

Portsmouth, O., Dec. 28, '12.
Received from the American Insurance Union $333.33 for payment of our claim as beneficiaries of Edward J. Woods, who held policy No. 50,434, Portsmouth Chapter No. 11, American Insurance Union. We thank you for the prompt settlement of our claim.

Respectfully,
SAMUEL L. WOODS, Father.
LAVINA A. WOODS, Mother.

adv—11.

Will Admitted To Probate

The will of the late William Dressler was admitted to probate Friday. Under its terms the widow, Caroline Dressler, is given her dower interest. The daughter, Ella C. Dressler, of Columbus, is given $50; a son, Fred Dressler, $200. The remainder is equally divided between the son, William H. and the daughter, Elizabeth Dressler, who are also named executors. The estate is valued at $650.

Administrator Is Appointed

J. Milt Jones was appointed administrator, Friday, of the estate of the late A. J. Jones, of Otway. The estate is valued at $1,000.

The Son of Man Is Come To Seek and Save That Which Was Lost!

What Was Lost

Hear Albert Johnson, of Columbus, O., give the views of a mechanic on this question.

Mr. Johnson is a deep thinker and a close Bible student, and gives clear and logical reasoning on this much mooted question, and at the same time he sticks close to the scriptures. He will speak on the above subject at the Temple Theatre, Eleventh St., next Sunday, January 5th, at 2 p. m. Free to every one. No collection. All are welcome to come and hear this speaker.

WITH THE SICK

Dan Buckley, the second operator at the Western Union telegraph office, is suffering with a bad case of yellow jaundice.

Rufus, baby son of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Snyder, took another turn for the worse Thursday night and grave fears were felt but he rallied Friday morning and was reported better.

Frank Wheeler, a well known Powellsville farmer, is laid up with rheumatism.

Mrs. Frank Dover continues seriously ill with an attack of grip at her home, 920 John street. She has been suffering with the attack for the past two weeks.

Rev. Crayton S. Brooks, pastor of the First Christian church, is confined to his home on Third street with an aggravated attack of the grip. He hopes to be all right by the time the big revival starts at the church next Sunday.

Fred Higley, who has been helping out with the rush at Frank Baker's big shoe sale, was called to Chillicothe Friday, owing to the illness of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Higley, both of whom are victims of pneumonia. Mrs. Higley was reported dangerously ill.

Squire Walden, of Sciotoville, who has been quite ill with the grip for the past few days, has recovered. This malady is quite prevalent in that village, there eing more than 25 cases at present.

Elmer Disterdick, the Powellsville boy who was recently bitten by a mad dog, has as yet shown no ill effects. He is taking treatment at Ironton. The head of the dog was examined at Columbus and evidence of rabbies was found. Since then there has been a wholesale slaughter of dogs at Powellsville and vicinity.

Former Police Chief W. T. Mccarty is able to be up and about again after being bedfast for ten days with a severe attack of rheumatism at his home on Robinson avenue.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Ollie Hoop, 24, farmer, and Miss Josephine Hackworth, 19, both of Mt. Joy; Squire Byron.

Class Is Divided

On account of the crowded condition of the second grade at the Bond street building, Prof. Appel has been compelled to divide this class and part of it will be moved to the Second street building, beginning next Monday. The teache rthere will be Miss Bertha Brand.

Robbery Frustrated

An attempt to rob the fishing tackle belonging to John Swander, of West Third street, was frustrated by Mr. Swander Thursday night. When he went to the stable to board it up for the winter he found his tackle and fishing paraphernalia packed ready to be taken away. Some one had slipped into the stable and prepared it for transportation.

Ben Hurs Will Meet

A regular meeting of the Ben Hurs is to be held tonight at their hall, corner of Fifth and Chillicothe streets.

Mayor Used Parcel Post

Mayor A. T. Pack has the honor of sending the first package out of South Portsmouth via the parcels post. He sent two boxes of merchandise to Louisa, Ky., Thursday.

Give Out Licenses

Two marriage licenses, which were issued several weeks ago, were made public late Friday afternoon by Judge Beatty. They were Fred A. Burkhardt, 21, plumber, and Miss Bessie M. Frawino, 18. They were married by Rev. Alfred Hughes a month ago.

The second was to Arthur D. White, 20, shoe cutter, and Miss Evelyn Lucille Artis, 21. The wedding was performed by Rev. J. W. Dunning, of the First Presbyterian church.

SOCIETY

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Baggs have returned from Barnesville, O., where they spent New Year's at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Baggs.

Mrs. Rachel Smith and young daughter, Helen, returned to Columbus Friday, after spending the holidays with her parents, Postmaster and Mrs. Alex. Givens, of McGaw.

Miss Hannah Lockwood is expected here from Pittsburg tonight for a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Lockwood, of Third street.

Joseph Horchow will return to his studies at the Ohio State university Monday, after spending the holidays with home-folks.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Rathberger took their departure Friday for Mobile, Ala., where they will locate. They have been visiting their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Revare, for the past three weeks. For a number of years Mr. and Mrs. Rathberger were located in Dubuque, Iowa.

Big Change In Weather

In less than twenty hours the temperature dropped 40 degrees, which anyone will readily admit is some caper for old Col. Mercury to cut up. At 3 o'clock today the temperature registered 23 above against 63 at the same hour Thursday. And the cold wave came unheralded and without a flourish of trumpets.

Waiting On Ship

No tidings have as yet been received regarding the steamship which is conveying the body of John Daniels, former Portsmouth young man, to New York from Belgium

Mrs. Anna Doty Daniels, of Chicago, mother of the young man, is still at the Washington hotel, anxiously awaiting word from the ship, which has been delayed by storms. Her daughter, Mrs. A. D. Proudfoot, who too has been here all week awaiting the arrival of the body, returned to Brooklyn, N. Y., to make inquiries regarding the vessel.

Si Barlow is in charge of the force engaged in excavating for the foundation of the new home F. L. Marting will erect in the Sunnyside addition. Henry Cook has the contract for the new home and Kaps Bros. will do the brick work. Many other new homes will be erected in Sunnyside in the spring.

President Read Will Visit Portsmouth

President Read, of the Ohio State League, will be in Portsmouth next week, and will talk over the baseball situation with the local fans and directors of the local team. Mr. Read will also spend a day in Huntington, as it begins to look like this city is really in earnest in its efforts to acquare a franchise in the Ohio State League.

President Read is confident that the Ohio State, one of the classiest minor league organizations in the country, will come back stronger than ever this year. There is talk of an eight-club organization, as Marion wants to return to organized base ball.

Semi-Annual Visit.

F. E. Walston, of Ashland, Ky., traveling auditor of the C. & O. railway, is paying the company's local agency his semi-annual visit.

Trolley Broke

A trolley on one of the street cars broke about 10:30 Thursday night as the car was passing the N. & W. Y. M. C. A. Traffic was delayed for some time until the break could be repaired.

Manly Board Had Meeting

The Manly official board met in regular session Thursday night and attended to routine business matters. The board is planning an active campaign for the coming year and will co-operate with the pastor, Rev. L. I. Hart, in making the year 1913 a memorable one in Manly church.

Handing Out Fine Calenders

Phil Wolff, proprietor of The Wolff Clothing store, 317 Chillicothe street, is passing out some very useful calendars. They are the acme of the printer's art and the kind always appreciated in office or store. They are large and clear, and one of them ornaments The Times office.

HAMMER AND PAINT

Architects Decoss and Patterson have practically completed the plans for the new school building that is to go up in New Boston. It will be a model structure of this kind and work is to begin on its erection in the early spring.

Contractor Cross has been awarded the contract for painting and renovating the interior of the Portsmouth Gas Co.'s new home, corner of Eighth and Chillicothe streets. He put a force of men to work on Thursday morning clearing out the place. The interior will be entirely redecorated and will present a much changed and improved appearance when completed.

E. V. Dotson & Co., contractors, have completed the erection of a house for Mrs. M. I. Bagby at St. Paul, Ky., and have returned to this city. They have several contracts in view and expect to be busy throughout the winter.

The Columbia theatre closed its doors for two weeks Wednesday night. During this suspension it is to be resated and refreshed and will be transformed into an ideal picture house with a seating capacity of 500.

RARDEN

Miss Jessie Abbott, who is taking a course in telegraphy in Cincinnati, was a guest of home folks, last week.

Abraham Forsythe, of Huntington, W. Va., was here recently visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Odle and children, of Portsmouth, spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Thompson.

Ben Edgington, of Patterson, Ohio, spent Christmas with Miss Elsie Wallace.

Mrs. Carl Ballengee and children, of Dayton, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wikoff.

Elmer Murfin, of Emden, Ill., who has been here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Murfin, left Monday for Norfolk, Va., where he will join the United States marines.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Doll, of Portsmouth, spent Christmas visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson.

Mrs. Kisiah Blackburn and daughter, Miss Sadie, were here visiting relatives last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hadley Thomas and little son, of Dayton, were here visiting relatives last week.

The Misses Ellison, of Greenfield, were here last week visiting their father, James Ellison.

Mrs. Wiley Kates and little son, of Portsmouth, were here recently, the guests of her mother, Mrs. Arthur Bleetman.

Little Miss Florence Clark, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is improving.

YOUNG

J. P. Moore spent Monday on business in the Peerless.

The Rev. Lawill, of Bethel, will preach here next Saturday and Sunday evenings at 6:30. p. m. He will also preach Sunday at Mt. Joy Christian church at 11:00 a. m.

The union Sunday school here had an average of 26 each Lord's day for the year of 1912.

There was prayer meeting New Year's eve by the Christian people at the Dry Run school house.

Leonard Crabtree was visiting friends and transacting business at the Peerless, this week.

We note the liberality of L. Taylor and Son, who offer to donate lamps to the new Christian church being built here.

Joseph R. Thompson, now 82 years of age, a civil war veteran, had his pension increased under the new pension act from $20 to $30 per month.

George Moore, who has been spending the holidays with his sister and friends, left Monday to assume his job saw milling.

William Powell spent Monday calling on friends and transacting business at the county seat.

Mrs. May Bruning, of Piketon, spent last week here with her mother, and calling on her friends.

Mrs. John Bradney spent Christmas with her mother and many friends at Ironton.

J. H. Bradney and son, George, spent Christmas at Otway, eating turkey with J. J. Pieper and family.

Everett Thompson and Anna Bauman gave a moving picture show Monday evening to invited guests. The audience was small but very appreciative.

ROCKY FORK

Rev. Mr. Stansburg held his regular preaching services here Sunday. Quite a number were present.

Arthur Chapman left here Saturday and expects to return to Wisconsin, where he will again take his same job in the rubber factory.

Roy Richard and sister, Ollie, came home from Columbus Tuesday to spend the holidays with their parents.

Ed. Chapman, of West Virginia, has been visiting with relatives here. He returned home Saturday.

B. H. Wallace spent Christmas with his friend at Rome.

Miss Ollie Richard was calling on her friend, Miss Hattie Cook, Sunday.

Hartsell Browne was visiting his uncle, Alfred Robinson, Sunday.

Miss Madge Evans is working for Mrs. Lewis Ogden.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Smith are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine baby girl.

Miss Essie Warner called on his friend, Miss Murrel Evans, Sunday.

Clarence Douglas has returned home after a short visit with his brother, Tom, of McGaw.

W. B. Evans passed by here Sunday on his way to J. W. Mitchell's

Curtis Corell visited W. M. Chapman and family, Sunday.

Miss Ada Chapman spent Christmas with friends and relatives on Turkey Creek.

Miss Ruth Hayslip and friend, Clyde Hayslip, of Blue Creek, visited her grandma, Mrs. Charles, Sunday.

Hartsel Hazelbaker delivered a load of tobacco to Blue Creek, Monday.

SULPHUR SPRINGS

Revival meetings begin at Mt. Carmel Sunday evening. The meetings will be conducted by Revs. Musgrave and Lyons.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin and daughter, Hazel, of New Boston, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. S. D. Martin and family, of Centerville.

Miss Minnie Musgrave was the guest of Miss Jennie Hosier, Sunday.

Misses Mina Kronk, Cora Martin and Florence Giles attended the Christmas tree exhibition at White Gravel, Tuesday evening.

Alva Martin is helping George Bennett cut telephone poles.

Denver Kinker is driving the buckster wagon for S. S. D. Martin.

Miss Mina Kronk, Cora Martin and Mr. and Mrs. George Martin were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Giles, Monday.

Miss Florence Giles and brother, Homer, were visiting Miss Mina Kronk, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Pompey Adkins were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Adkins, Tuesday evening.

Mr. Clarence Kronk was calling on Pearl Wilson, Friday.

Frank Giles hauled a load of coal for Mrs. Maggie Giles, of Fairview, recently.

Mrs. Della Allen made a flying trip to Portsmouth recently.

Oscar Bloomaker is chopping wood for William Kronk this winter.

Mr. Alva Martin and Miss Susie Bennett attended the Christmas tree exhibition at White Gravel, Tuesday evening.

Lem Martin is clerking for Miss Rhoda Erwin this winter.

Lawrence Debo is helping Frank Giles haul coal.

WAMSLEY ROUTE TWO

Mrs. Stella Jones, visited her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Maddy, Friday.

George Wamsley was the guest of his sister, Mrs. Virgil Liston, Friday.

Homer Freeman was a Portsmouth visitor, Tuesday.

Martin Wamsley was a business visitor at Otway, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Liston visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wamsley, Wednesday.

Herchel Wamsley, of Blue Creek, is visiting his grand father, Lafe Spence, of Beech Fork.

Mr. and Mrs. Mikey Brand entertained on Christmas Arthur Covert, wife and baby, of Beech Fork, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Brand, of Otway, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wamsley, of Wamsley.

Miss Edna Beltz spent Sunday with Emma Wamsley.

Miss Ruth Liston and Hazel Thompson spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Rosa Freeland.

George Wamsley was the guest of Russell Jones, Saturday.

Gordon Freeman was the guest of Virgil Liston, Saturday.

Emma Wamsley was calling on Edna Beltz, Saturday.

Charley Mitchell was calling on Earl Wamsley, Saturday.

Ode Jones was calling on his uncle, Charley Jones, Saturday.

Elico Wamsley spent Sunday with Harry Wamsley.

Miss Ocie Martin, Miss Clarice Ivers and Earl Brown, of Wamsley, attended the entertainment at Antioch, Tuesday.

Frank Chaboudy took dinner at the home of Martin Wamsley, Wednesday.

Bee Mitchell was the guest of Homer Freeman, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgel Liston spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Berlin Thompson.

Orval Jones spent Sunday with his cousins, Ode and George Wamsley.

Mrs. Somie Wamsley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Spence, Friday.

Mrs. Mary Martin and Aunt Rosa Freland are on the sick list.

Mrs. Lucsinda King spent Wednesday with Joe Martin and family.

Milt Jones, from Otway, is up in this neighborhood buying tobacco.

Al Jones, of Brocken Ridge, and Lew Barns, of Otway, took dinner with A. C. Wamsley, Friday.

George A. Liston and wife are very poorly with grip.

Gordon Freeman visited George Wamsley, Sunday.

George P. Liston arrived home Sunday with his new bride.

Ley Dolton was guest of Bessie Turner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Mason were the guests of Richard Dalton, Sunday.

Ode Jones was the guest of his cousin, Orvil Jones, Sunday

OSWEGO

Sunday school will continue under the management of Supt. Meek Penn.

Prof. M. J. Jones gave an entertainment at the Oswego school, Christmas, which was well attended.

Mrs. Jos. Darnell was the guest of Mrs. Chas. Ingles, Sunday.

Miss Rosa Koenig was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Welcher Thompson, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Smith, who has been employed at Cincinnati, is visiting relatives here.

Miss Emma Davis took a week's vacation visiting her sister during the holidays.

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Fairchild's Spring Wheat Flour, for this sale only at	69c
With every $1.00 worth of groceries bought at our store Saturday we will sell five pounds granulated sugar for, 5 cents pound,	25c
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EIGHT BABY SIZE CANS MILK THIS SALE	24c
No. Two Canned Tomatoes, 1912 pack, per can	8c

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Oyster, Butter or Soda Crackers, two pounds for	15c
2 cans good Sweet Corn	15c
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No. 2 canned Strawberries or Raspberries, per can	15c
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It's a clean-up for us and a bargain opportunity for you. The sale has been on for a few days, many having taken advantage of it and are telling their friends. The Suits and Overcoats are going at a lively pace but still there's one for you. Don't wait too long, some other fellow will beat you to it.

IT'S THE PEOPLE'S SAVING SALE

YOUR CHANCE TO SAVE DOLLARS ON Men's. Boy's and Children's Apparel

Men's and Boy's Suits

$25.00 Suits, Saving Price $19.95
$20.00 Suits, Saving Price $15.95
$15.00 Suits, Saving Price $11.95
$10.00 Suits, Saving Price ..... $ 7.95
$ 8.00 Suits, Saving Price ..... $ 6.45
$ 5.00 Suits, Saving Price ..... $ 3.95

Boys' Sweaters $1.50 kind without Collar and Turtle Necks only 79c

Men's and Boy' Overcoats

$25.00 Overcoats, Saving Price $19.95
$20.00 Overcoats, Saving Price $15.95
$15.00 Overcoats, Saving Price $11.95
$10.00 Overcoats, Saving Price ..... $ 7.95
$ 8.00 Overcoats, Saving Price ..... $ 6.45
$ 5.00 Overcoats, Saving Price ..... $ 3.95

Children's Suits and O'coats

$10.00 Suits and Overcoats, Saving Price $7.95
$ 7.50 Suits and Overcoats, Saving Price $5.95
$ 5.00 Suits and Overcoats, Saving Price $3.95
$ 4.00 Suits and Overcoats, Saving Price $3.15
$ 3.00 Suits and Overcoats, Saving Price $2.45
$ 2.00 Suits and Overcoats, Saving Price $1.65

Men's and Boy's Heavy Gloves

Fur, Buck Skin and Asbestol Gloves, all go in this sale at

$4.00 Gloves, Saving Price $3.20
$3.00 Gloves, Saving Price $2.40
$2.00 Gloves, Saving Price $1.60
$1.50 Gloves, Saving Price $1.20
$1.00 Gloves, Saving Price ..... $ .80
$ .50 Gloves, Saving Price ..... $ .40

Men's and Boy's Hats

Every Soft Hat in all the latest shades and shapes.

$5.00 Hats, Saving Price $4.00
$4.00 Hats, Saving Price $3.20
$3.00 Hats, Saving Price $2.40
$2.00 Hats, Saving Price $1.60
$1.50 Hats, Saving Price $1.20
$1.00 Hats, Saving Price 80c

Men's and Boy's Heavy Caps

The very latest shapes and colors, all made with Fur, pull down.

$1.50 Caps, Saving Price $1.20
$1.00 Caps, Saving Price ..... $ .80
$ .50 Caps, Saving Price ..... $ .40
$ .25 Caps, Saving Price ..... $ 20

STIFF HAT SPECIAL $2.00 AND $3.00 HATS FOR ..... 69 CENTS

Men's and Boy's Heavy Underwear

This includes all of our Union Suits and Two Piece Suits, wool or cotton.

$6.00 Underwear, Saving Price $4.80
$5.00 Underwear, Saving Price $4.00
$3.00 Underwear, Saving Price $2.40
$2.00 Underwear, Saving Price $1.60
$1.50 Underwear, Saving Price $1.20
$1.00 Underwear, Saving Price ..... $ .80
$ .50 Underwear, Saving Price ..... $ .40

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$4.00 Shoes for $3.15
$3.50 Shoes for $2.75
$3.00 Shoes for $2.45
$2.75 Shoes for $2.30
$2.50 Shoes for $2.15
$2.25 Shoes for $1.95
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$1.75 Shoes for $1.65

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Columbus, Jan. 3—At ten o'clock Monday morning the eightieth general assembly of Ohio will convene. The first business will be the perfecting of the organization in the house and senate. Everything to be done will be a mere formality, as it has all been agreed upon in advance. Charles L. Swain, of Cincinnati, will be chosen speaker and J. H. Leery, of Henry county, speaker pro tem. John R. Cassidy, of Bellefontaine, will be chosen clerk. In the senate Lieutenant Governor Hugh L. Nichols will continue to be the presiding officer. William Green, of Coshocton, will also be president pro tem again. An hour or more will be taken up in organizing and then the Governor's message will be read. The intention is to get down to business at once, so on the opening day it is probable there will be a large number of bills introduced. If the legislature carries out the program prepared it will enact the most important laws ever created in this state. No previous legislature was ever confronted with as much important work as this one has before it. Not a small part of its time will be used in passing measures to put into active effect reforms provided for by the constitutional amendments adopted last September. The one providing for license will precipitate the fiercest controversy of the session. It will be a battle royal between the wets and the drys.

Governor-elect Cox will come to Columbus several days before the time for his inauguration, which will be held on Monday, Jan. 13, according to Major George H. Wood, his adjutant general, who was in Columbus Thursday conferring with the local inaugural committee. The announcement of appointments has again been deferred and Major Wood said that the intention was to make all known at once instead of announcing them by departments at different times. The hope is that Captain E. M. Peoples, of Pomeroy, who is chief clerk in the adjutant general's office, will be promoted to the office of assistant adjutant general, and that Lieutenant Orville E. Clark, of Dayton, a clerk in the adjutant general's office, will get the place vacated by Peoples. Colonel John M. Bingham, of Lima, will be retained as assistant quartermaster general, and Major George P. Zwerner will be reappointed superintendent of the state arsenal.

Nellie V. McMillin, of North Jackson, Mahoning county, is the first girl to enter the boys corn raising contest of the state board of agriculture. She intends to try to surpass the record of Mary Whitaker, the Lebanon girl, who carried off the honors among the girls last year by raising 88 bushels of corn from an acre of ground and who carried a trip to Washington as a result. Miss McMillin has advised Secretary Sandles of her intention to compete in this year's contest. She had planned to enter the wheat growing contest last fall, but on account of unfavorable weather she did not do so. She said that she intended to attend the farmers' institutes to get information regarding the best methods to use in corn raising. The prize to the winners this year will be another Washington trip.

The arm of the prosecuting attorney is materially strengthened by the radical changes in the judiciary effected by the constitutional amendments which went into full force with the opening of the new year. Convictions will be secured easier in the future than in the past. If an important witness in a criminal case is in another state, an agent of the prosecutor can take his testimony, and it will be presented in the trial just as if the witness was present to give it in person. If a prosecutor refers to the fact that the accused did not take the stand in his own behalf, this will not have the effect that it has had. From now on if the accused does not testify, the prosecutor may refer to this in his argument to the jury. Such reference heretofore would be sufficient ground for throwing out a guilty verdict.

The annual inspection of the Ohio National Guard by regular army and state officers will begin Monday and will continue until May 10. The names of the inspecting officers have not yet been announced. The soldiers will be inspected in olive drab uniforms and will be in heavy marching order. The inspection will include all military supplies and stores.

The friends of Governor-elect Cox will be in control of the house and senate caucus meetings which will be held Saturday afternoon. Minor jobs will be filled at these gatherings. BLAKE.

Did He Kill It?

Officer Rome Arthur was called to the Lewis home, No. 1217 Thirteenth street, early Friday morning to kill a dog which Mrs. Lewis complained had a habit of destroying every newspaper delivered at her home.

BOARDING HOUSE RAIDED BY ROBBER

Mrs. Oscar Rogers' boarding house, at No. 213 Fourth street, was the scene of wholesale looting, which was discovered with the sudden departure of a roomer, Thursday afternoon.

Two good suits and clothing to the value of $100 and a revolver were stolen from the room of Charles Motts, a bartender, employed at Jake Linck's cafe, and suit cases, overcoats and other wearing apparel belonging to five coal agents, who are roaming at the house, were also smuggled out of the house by the unknown.

One of the roomers recalled having heard some one stirring about the upstairs rooms between 10 and 11 o'clock Thursday morning. Another roomer saw a man, who had been stopping at the house, leave, carrying two bundles under his arms, but the fact that he had left a hat, shirt and a pair of trousers in his own room dispelled suspicion of any wrong until his failure to return Thursday evening and when Motts prepared to leave for his evening's work at Linck's, only to find practically all of his clothes gone.

The stranger had been at the Rogers home since last Saturday night. Mrs. Rogers had company at the time he called. She had one vacant room, and as the man appeared to be gentlemanly and offered to pay the rent in advance, he was taken in. He claimed to be a decorator. It is believed he made a successful getaway from the city, for the police were unable to locate anyone answering his description, but are searching for the clothes at various second-hand stores.

Was In Cincy.

D. A. Alspaugh has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati, in the interest of his firm.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Starling C. Robinson, administrator, plaintiff, vs. Thomas J. Holt, et al., defendants.

Charlie Holt and Elias Holt, residing in Globe, Arizona, will take notice that on the 1st day of October, 1912, Starling C. Robinson, as administrator of the estate of John Holt, filed his petition in the Common Pleas Court of Scioto County, Ohio, in case No. 12,972 against the above named parties and others, praying that the court set aside a certain deed from John Holt to Thomas J. Holt for lot No. twenty (20) in the DeLeing Subdivision in the City of Portsmouth; for order to sell said real estate for the payment of the debts of the said John Holt, and for other and further relief. Said parties are required to answer on or before the 3rd day of February, 1913. adv--dec13-fri

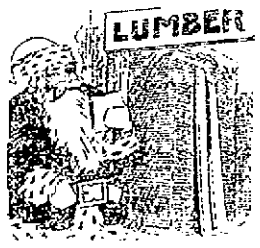
Leaves On Trip.

A. G. Spriggs, proprietor of The Annex on Sixth street, left Friday on a business trip to Jackson, Wellston and Columbus.

Found A Glove.

Police Clerk Pearl Roush found a child's glove Thursday which the loser can recover by calling at headquarters.

LUMBER FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON



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